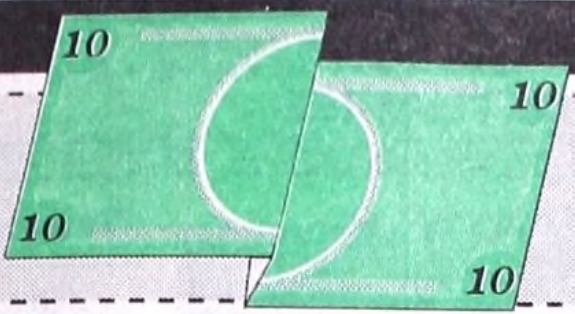


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The 100-year-old Romulus home currently owned by Greater Romulus Chamber of Commerce President Mark Lewkowicz is shown following its most recent renovations. ANP photo by Ken Garner

100-year-old Romulus home once was Episcopal church

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

The 100th birthday of a Romulus home, that once served as the St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal Church, was recently celebrated by its owners Mark and Candy Lewkowicz and the Romulus Historical Society.

Among its former residents were 90-year-old Charlie Lau and his family, who resided there while Lau and his siblings were still small children in about 1917.

Lewkowicz, who currently is president of the Greater Romulus Chamber of Commerce, invited the historical unit to his home at Bibbins and Olive streets on Nov. 20, 1993.

The historical group accepted the offer because its usual meeting site (the Romulus Public Library) was undergoing asbestos abatement work. But, even more important was the fact Lewkowicz was offering the members a first-hand inspection of the century-old structure located across the street from both the Romulus Police Headquarters and the Community United Methodist Church at 36657 Bibbins.

Original plans to create an Episcopal church were first



Charlie Lau, 90-year-old Romulus resident (left), examines photos of the historic home he once lived in with its current owner, Mark Lewkowicz. Joining the pair is Lau's sister, Virena. Lau and other family members lived in the home for about 11 years early in this century. ANP Special Photo

"I passed it every day going to and from school for several years and loved both its unique outside appearance and its architecture."

- Mark Lewkowicz

discussed back on June 22, 1892, when Rev. Douglass Hooff of Detroit visited Romulus, church records revealed.

The first church service was conducted on July 12 of that year in the old Romulus School House.

A debate still goes on today, Lewkowicz said, as to which school house the church records refer.

Apparently early interest in erecting the church grew quickly, as a groundbreaking at Bibbins and Third Street (now Olive Street) was conducted on May 23, 1893.

Numerous gifts of land, religious style furniture and equipment were offered by community residents upon the conclusion of the construction of the church. A contract had earlier been signed on Aug. 2, 1893, totaling \$1,313 for non-donated items. The builders

were listed as E.R. Yates and M.H. DeVries.

Church records show that the church building was completed on Nov. 15, 1893 and the first service was conducted at 7:30 p.m. on Thanksgiving Day 1893 (no actual date was listed in the historical report.)

While Lewkowicz has no idea how long the church congregation lasted, he has been informed that the building was converted to a home about 1917 and was owned at that time by Henry and Grace Seestedt (Lau's uncle).

In the early 1930's the home apparently was purchased by Roy and Jessie Van Nest. Later in 1974 Lewkowicz became aware that it was up for sale, but did not have the capital to buy it. It was purchased by Mario and Arlene Mouray.

Nine years later Lewkowicz had a second chance and he and his wife, Candy, bought the slightly rundown home.

Lewkowicz said the house has fascinated him since the days when he was a student at Romulus Elementary School (now the police station).

"I passed it every day going to and from school for several years and loved both its unique outside appearance and its architecture," Lewkowicz said.

Since purchasing it in 1983

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Injection well trial may be delayed again

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

A motion to have the trial involving the waste water injection well injunction demand heard by a judge, not a jury, will be heard Friday by Wayne County Circuit Court Judge Claudia House Morcom.

Romulus City Attorney Barry Seifman informed the Romulus City Council Monday night that the Environmental Disposal Services had filed the motion for such action and that it will be heard some time after 9:30 a.m. Friday.

When pressed whether the slated Jan. 26 trial date itself could be delayed again, Seifman said, it was quite possible since there still is a tremendous amount of legal work pending on both sides on the volatile issue of the hazardous-non hazardous liquid injection well.

The trial stems from the contention of the city of Romulus that a permanent injunction should be issued against further work by EDS, until the company applies for and receives city permits for the work already done and efforts needed to complete the planned \$6.1 million waste liquid injection well project off Wahrman and Grant roads.

In addition, EDS Operations Manager Vincent Schager read

"EDS is extremely proud of its recently constructed Romulus Deepwell, its financing sources which are of the highest integrity and the business and environmental opportunities."

- EDS president Douglas Wicklund

a letter from Douglas Wicklund, EDS president, denying that EDS or any of its employees have now, or have ever had, any relationship with the Waterford Hills Sanitary Landfill.

The landfill, located in Oakland County, was closed by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources because of chemical leakage.

The letter also stated that Wicklund is the sole 100 percent owner-operator of EDS and its Romulus based liquid injection well facility and as such, has sole control over the development and operation of the facility.

Wicklund's letter also denied that EDS has ever been, is not now and will not in the future "front" for any other company or individuals.

"EDS is extremely proud of its recently constructed Romulus Deepwell, its financing sources which are of the highest integrity and the business and environmental oppor-

tunities" that can result from its accomplishments, the letter concluded.

As to its potential customers when operational, Wicklund stated "disposal capacity will be offered first to the needs of Romulus industry and the remediation of contaminated sites within the city."

"Capacity will then be made available to the balance of the southeast Michigan area. Remaining disposal capacity, if any, will then be made available on a regional basis to qualified industrial and commercial customers with waste disposal requirements appropriate to deepwell technology," Wicklund wrote.

Then replying to one of well protestors' main concerns about possible out-of-state or Canadian injection well customers, Wicklund stated "EDS has not indicated at any time the limits of its market area in that it cannot predict economic conditions and disposal needs" of the future.

1st traffic death recorded

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

A 20-year-old Garden City man became the first Romulus traffic fatality of 1994, police said, when his 1991 Ford Ranger truck smashed into a semi-tractor trailer vehicle at Eureka and Middlebelt Tuesday morning.

Traffic Officer Rick Schwartz said the victim, Michael

Corey, was not wearing his seat belt, when he was traveling south on Middlebelt and passed through a green light at the Eureka intersection about 6 a.m.

Schwartz said Corey's truck hit the passenger side of the semi-tractor and the force of the crash threw him partially out the passenger side window of his truck. He is believed to have died instantly.

The 35-year-old Texas truck driver told police his truck failed to halt in time when the red light flashed.

Schwartz said the roadway was wet and the weather dark and cloudy at the time of the accident.

The investigation is continuing, Schwartz said.

Romulus had 13 traffic fatalities during the year of 1993.

Pageant deadline approaching

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

The countdown has already begun on the 1994 Michigan Teen Pageant that will end at the new Park Place ballroom (formerly the Royce Hotel) in Romulus on March 19-20.

The new Michigan Teen will be crowned by the current America's Perfect Teen, Shannon Trudell of Marysville, Mich. She captured the national crown last year in Myrtle Beach, S.C.

The final deadline for appli-

cations for the Michigan Teen Pageant is Feb. 5, 1994.

There is no performing talent requirements in the teen contest, pageant co-ordinators said, as all judging will be on the basis of poise, personality and beauty of face and figure.

Contestants between the ages of 13 and 19, who have never been married, will compete in sportswear, poise and personality, and evening gown competitions.

Those interested in applying for the pageant must write to: Michigan Teen Pageant, Re-

gional Headquarters-Dept. FN, 347 Locust Ave., Washington, Pa. 15301-3399.

All application letters must include a recent snapshot, a brief biography, address and a phone number.

Among the awards for the top Michigan Teen will be a \$1,000 cash scholarship and a free all expense paid trip to the 13th annual national "America's Perfect Teen" pageant this fall in Myrtle Beach.

Further information can be obtained by calling 412-225-5343 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Jailed resident faces court trial

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

A jailed Romulus man, who has been fighting Romulus ordinance controls for over a decade, is slated to face a Feb. 18 hearing on more than 20 such violations in the 34th District Court.

But, a court employee said Tuesday that the hearing date will have to be rescheduled since the court house will be

closed that day for an all-day seminar.

City Ordinance Officer Steve Banko complained that William Connolly of 6748 Cogswell has been ignoring ordinance complaints for the past 10 years.

When Connolly appeared on Nov. 22, 1993 before 34th District Court Judge Felix Rogalle, a bail was ordered of 10 percent of \$500 for each of the 21 charges. The bail was

set at that level, he said, because Connolly has a history of ignoring court appearances over the past two years.

Banko said that Connolly refused to post bail and was ordered jailed.

Since the Wayne County Jail was overcrowded, Connolly was transferred to the Isabella County Jail pending his trial.

One of the most striking vio-

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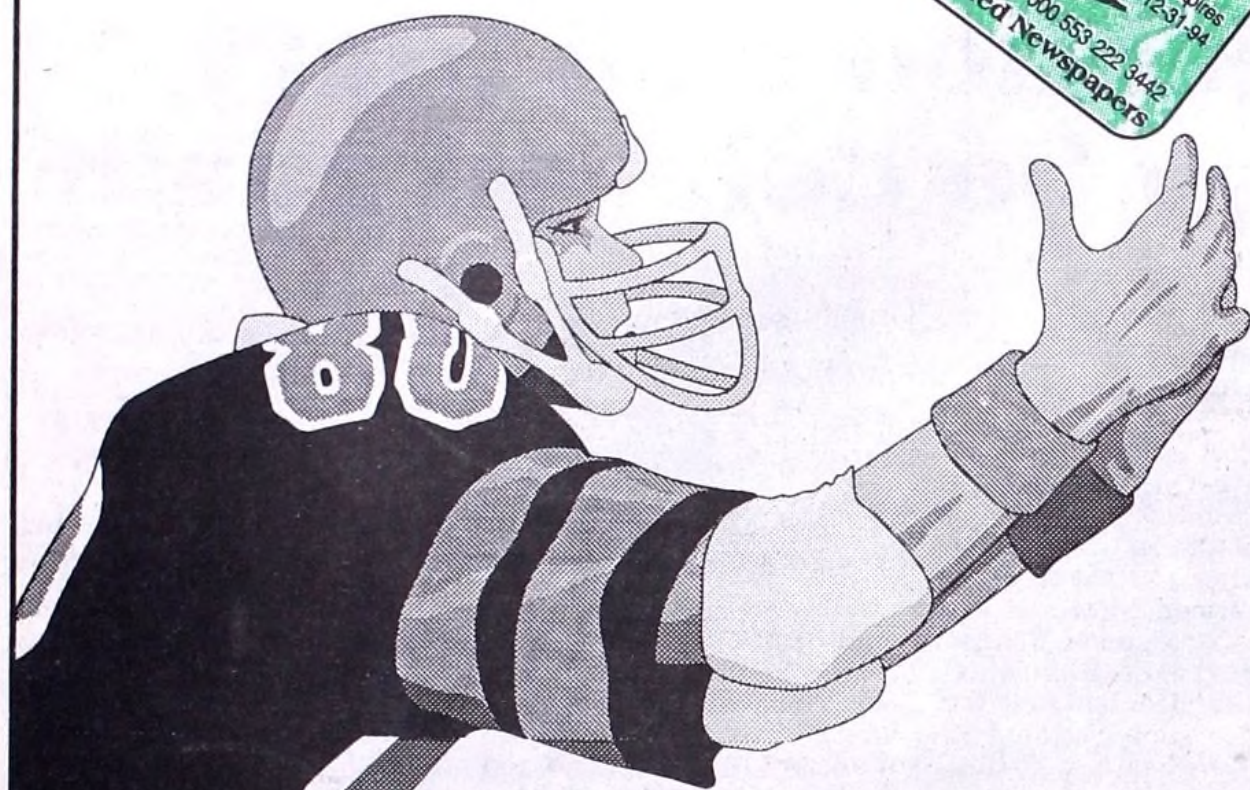
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OBITUARIES

Kirkpatrick, Donald

Donald George Kirkpatrick, 67, of Westland, died Dec. 17, 1993.

Born on June 1, 1926, he was a quality assurance specialist.

Survivors include three sons, James, Wayne and Mark; a daughter, Cheryl, and five grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his wife, Lorraine.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Millar officiating.

Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West of Westland.

The family recommends that memorials be sent to the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Kuzmish, Virginia

Virginia Rosemary Kuzmish, 72, of Wayne, died Dec. 18, 1993 at the Wayne Convalescent Home.

Born on Dec. 12, 1921, she was a former housekeeper.

Survivors include her husband, Francis; a daughter, Elaine; a sister, June Trombley; a brother, Richard; two grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

She was pre-deceased by a son, Francis Nicholas Kuzmish.

The funeral was at the Tae Orlando Funeral Home of Erie, Penn. Interment was in Laurel Hill Cemetery of Mill Creek Township in Pennsylvania. Local arrangements were completed by the Uht Funeral Home.

Pascoe, Viva

Viva Bell Pascoe, 77, of Westland, died Dec. 13, 1993 at Oakwood Hospital.

Survivors include two sons, William Sexton and Albert A. (Patty) Pascoe, seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The funeral was at Lents Funeral Home with the Rev. Neil Cowling officiating. Interment was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Armatis, Frank

Frank W. Armatis, 60, of Belleville, died Dec. 18, 1993. Arrangements were completed by the David C. Brown Funeral Home.

Waldrop, Margaret

Margaret Elizabeth Waldrop, 81, of Westland, died Dec. 20, 1993 in Oakwood Hospital.

Born on July 5, 1912 in Greenville, S.C., she was the daughter of Oren Hunt and Annie Scruggs. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband, Howard V., a daughter, Mrs. Joseph (Elizabeth) Panetta; a son, Howard H. (Karen); three sisters, three grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral was at St. Mel's Catholic Church of Dearborn Heights under the direction of L.J. Griffin Funeral Home in Westland.

Ballou, Marie

Marie Elizabeth Ballou, 83, of Freedom, Mich., died Dec. 7, 1993 in Glacier Hills Nursing Home.

Born on March 14, 1910, she was a homemaker who formerly lived in Van Buren Township.

Survivors include two cousins, Esther and Dan Kaercher.

She was predeceased by her husband, Ross.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Gary Headapohl officiating. Interment was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Seeley, Neil

Neil J. Seeley, 81, of Lakewood, Colo., died Dec. 10, 1993 in Denver, Colo.

Born in Vancouver, British Columbia on Feb. 17, 1912, he was a retired body and paint repairman and self-employed collision service specialist.

He was also a member of the Wayne Masonic Lodge No. 112, Free and Accepted Masons, High Priest of Wayne Lodge York Rite Masons, Commander of Knights Templar-Northville Commandry No. 39.

Survivors include his wife, Doris L. (Austin) of Lakewood; a brother, Leonard Seeley of Westland; a daughter, Barbara Malewska of Lakewood; five grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

He was predeceased by his parents, George Joseph and Isabelle Beryl (Johnston) Seeley.

A memorial service was at Woods Mortuary of Golden, Colo. with the Rev. Maryann Downs of the First United Methodist Church of Golden officiating. Cremation rites were accorded. The family recommends that memorials be sent to the American Lung Association.

Squires, Homer

Homer C. Squires, 72, of Lewisburg, Tenn., died Dec. 3, 1993. Arrangements were completed by the David C. Brown Funeral Home.

Harris, James

James J. Harris, 62, of Canton Township, died Dec. 3, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

Survivors include his wife, Delores (Smith) Harris; three sons, Randy (Connie) Harris of Fairview, Nathan (Shari) Antieau of Belleville and Neil Antieau of Maryland; a daughter, Janna (Dave) Greca of Belleville; two stepchildren, Richard O'Brien of Canton Township and Delores (Ken) Aquizzi of Brighton; two brothers, Gene Harris of Plymouth and Jack Chandler of Seattle, Wash.; a sister, June Brown of Seattle, and 10 grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his parents, Jesse J. and Winnie L. (Carroll) Harris.

The funeral was at the David C. Brown Funeral Home of Belleville with Pastor Tom Hovermale officiating. Interment was at Parkview Memorial Cemetery of Livonia.

The family recommends that memorials be sent to Camp Barakel.

Harris, Robert

Robert F. Harris, 86, of Canton Township, died Dec. 19, 1993 in Dearborn.

Born in Remus, Mich. on Dec. 24, 1906, he was a retired assembler for Ford Motor Co. He enjoyed sports of all kinds, music, dancing, traveling, gardening, theater and eating out on all occasions.

Surviving are his wife, Helena M. Harris; a daughter, Joan H. (William) Robak of Canton; a son, Robert W. Harris of Dallas, Tex.; a brother, Simon; two sisters, Nila and Dorothy Harris; three grandsons, and a great-grandson.

A memorial service was at Vermeulen Funeral Home with the Rev. Jerry Yarnell officiating. Interment was in Parkview Memorial Cemetery in Livonia. Cremation rites were accorded.

The family recommends that memorials be sent to the American Heart Association of Michigan, Wayne County Region, P.O. Box 721129, Berkley, Mich., 48072.

Goen, Mary

Mary Avis Goen, 74, of Wayne, died Dec. 8, 1993 in Garden City Hospital.

Born on March 7, 1919, she was a retired punch press operator.

Survivors include a daughter, Norma Olsen of Garden City; a son, William of Westland; two sisters, Janet Russell and Georgene Riggs; a brother, Charles Sinclair; seven grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband, Edward L.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Millar officiating. Interment was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Rosati, Steven

Steven Rosati, 21, of Westland, died in a house fire in Detroit on Dec. 21, 1993.

He was born in Southfield on Jan. 21, 1972.

Survivors include his parents, Anthony and Carol of Westland; a sister, Penny Fenwick of Westland; his grandparents, Joseph Rosati and Lucille Ebling; two uncles, Leonard and Nick Rosati, and an aunt, Rose Rozner.

The funeral was at the Ziomek Funeral Home of Livonia and St. Mary's Catholic Church of Wayne with Father Paul Panaretos officiating.

Keehl, Kathleen

Kathleen Lillian Keehl, 61, of Garden City, died Dec. 22, 1993 in Garden City Hospital.

Born on April 25, 1932, she was a homemaker. Survivors include her husband, Norman J.; a daughter, Gwendolyn (William) Douglass; a son, J. Chris (Kathy); two sisters, Shirley Burns and Audrey Brown; a brother, Edward Johnston II; two grandsons, Jason and Rory; and a granddaughter, Caitlin.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with Father Thomas Slowinski officiating. Cremation rites were accorded with burial in Gleneden Memorial Park. A memorial service was conducted under the auspices of Milan Women's Moose Lodge No. 1087.

The family recommends that memorials be sent to the Kathleen Keehl Memorial Fund.

Savage, Margaret

Margaret T. Savage, 62, of Westland, died Dec. 18, 1993 at home.

Survivors include six sons, Sean, Patrick, Brian, Michael and Timothy, all of Westland, and Kevin of Plymouth; two daughters, Geraldine Savage of Westland and Mairead Powell of Rochester, Mich.; three sisters, Mary Murray of Westland, Josie Myles of Garden City and Annie Caldwell of Belfast, Ireland, and four grandchildren.

The funeral was at St. Theodore Catholic Church with the Rev. Jerry Cupple officiating. Interment was in Mount Hope Cemetery of Livonia. The family recommends that memorials be sent to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Envelopes are available at Vermeulen Funeral Home of Plymouth.

Faitel, Brian

Brian Keith Faitel, 30, of Taylor, died Dec. 23, 1993.

Born on Aug. 19, 1963, he was employed as a maintenance operator.

Survivors include his wife, Debbie; stepson, Jimmy; his parents, Richard and Sherry Faitel; three brothers, Rick (Linda), Jeff and Mark, and two sisters, Denise (Donnie) and Dawn (Tom).

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Millar officiating.

Interment was in Detroit Memorial Park West of Redford.

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Little league seeking umpires

The Romulus Little League (a non-profit organization) is seeking youth and adults, 16 years and older, to work as umpires from May 1 to July 1, 1994.

The Little League offers training, rule books, shirts with an official Little League umpire patch, insurance and as a form of reimbursement for any expenses an allowance of \$15 to \$25 per game.

The league includes 17 teams with players between the ages of 8 and 18. The games are played on city and school ball fields in Romulus. The games are played at 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. Saturday game times vary.

Interested persons are urged to contact Debbie Dick, Romulus Little League Umpire Agent, at 728-0845.

Scarf creater plans local meet

Barbara Eckert, a scarf creator from Dearborn Heights, will demonstrate the many ways to tie and wear scarfs to complement clothing, when she appears at the Romulus Wesleyan Church on Jan. 10.

The free demonstration will take place from 7 to 9 p.m. that day at the church located on Goddard Road, west of Wayne Road and next to Kennedy Park.

The scarfs that Eckert demonstrates are of her own design and are available for purchase after the demonstration.

Chairperson Charlene McClellan urges those attending the program to bring an oblong or square scarf with them that night.

Church planning roast beef dinner

The regular roast beef dinner sponsored by the Community United Methodist Church will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. Jan. 15.

Tickets are available by calling 941-0736. The cost is \$6 for adults and \$3 for youth ages 5 to 12.

Children under 5 are admitted free.

New Bible study to begin

A new Bible study covering the four Gospels of the New Testament will begin Jan. 13 at the Community United Methodist Church.

The Rev. Dr. J.D. Landis, church pastor, said the 10-week course will begin at 7:30 p.m. each Thursday.

The study is timely because of the new controversy reported in the *Detroit Free Press* and the *U.S. News and World Report*, Landis said. The controversy began recently when a book was released stating that many of the sayings attributed to Jesus Christ probably were never made by him.

The cost for first time enrollees in the Bible Study is \$10. Those who were involved in an earlier Bible study offered by Landis will be admitted for an \$8 charge. Further information can be obtained by calling 941-0736.

Police to buy device for deaf

Romulus City Council members have approved the authorization of bids for the purchase of a Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) by the local police department.

The TDD unit will allow the deaf to access emergency assistance easier and with less time delays, Acting Police Chief Robert Brown revealed.

Year in review

Fires, relocations, lawsuits and deep well were news in 1993

April

The Salvation Army plans to erect its new men's rehabilitation center, thrift shop and sorting factory at Middlebelt and Van Born roads faced new hearings before the city Planning Commission.

Romulus School Superintendent Dr. William Bedell announced plans to file civil rights protests in an attempt to have Romulus High School admitted to the 22-school MEGA (Sports) League.

Bedell said complaints would be filed with the Michigan Civil Rights Commission and the National Department of Education Civil Rights.

Bedell said the protests would claim that Romulus Eagles teams were being kept out of the league because of the large number of Afro-American students in the district.

Three Romulus Senior High School students were arrested following an altercation inside a girls' restroom.

Two of the "weapons" confiscated were a small steak knife and a miniature souvenir baseball bat, police said.

While veteran school board member Dan Bales did not file for re-election, three candidates did announce intentions to battle for the two open seats.

They were incumbent Sandra Langley, former board member Kenneth Berlinn and former candidate Pauline Calhoun.

May

The Salvation Army in Romulus, forced to vacate the Goddard Road facilities to make way for the expanding Detroit Metro Airport, officials announced a possible relocation to a 37-acre site at Middlebelt and Van Born roads.

Mayor Beverly McAnally and Community Development Director Jane Dowling revealed they were exploring casino gambling options for the city of Romulus.

Both attended informational seminars in New Orleans, even though McAnally says she has serious moral objections to the casinos being located in the city.

The 11th annual Romulus (Michigan Week) Festival kicked off a day early this year, as a fourth day was added to the festivities.

Hearings began in the drive-by murder case involv-



The Downriver Senior Olympics were conducted in Romulus for the first time in 1993. Shown here are Kay Trebuchon of Allen Park and Helen Wojtylko of Trenton competing in a shuffle board contest. ANP photo by DiVizio/chief photographer

ing Romulus teen, Bayete "Yogi" Elrod, grandson of Romulus Chamber of Commerce Treasurer Jason Lovette.

The first defendant, Kofi Myler of Detroit, revealed he was deeply concerned about losing his job and college scholarship, after being involved in the shooting.

The second annual National Day of Prayer session outside Romulus City Hall attracted 30 local Christians, three times the number that appeared the first year.

The half-hour ceremony was held at the same time in thousands of other cities across the U.S. that day.

A Romulus couple was arrested on illegal manufacture of marijuana charges following a raid of their Farnum Street home by Romulus and Drug Enforcement Administration officers.

Confiscated were marijuana plants, Satanic literature, drug paraphernalia, an assault weapon and a pipe bomb.

June

Applewood Subdivision residents breathed a sigh of relief, when builder Byrne Hobart Benson was arrested on 13 counts of building contractor fraud.

Byrne and his wife, Mary Louise, were charged with complaints that totaled \$700,000 in violations. Homeowners complained they received liens against their

home ownerships because Byrne failed to pay his subcontractors.

Rain failed to curtail the annual throng from attending the annual Romulus Week Festival that included the usual opening parade, carnival rides and music offerings.

Aztec Manufacturing Co., a supplier of Ford Motor Co. products, revealed in was doubling its size. The firm that moved to Romulus in 1988 with 28 employees, now records 72 workers. The firm hopes to hire 15-30 more workers in coming years.

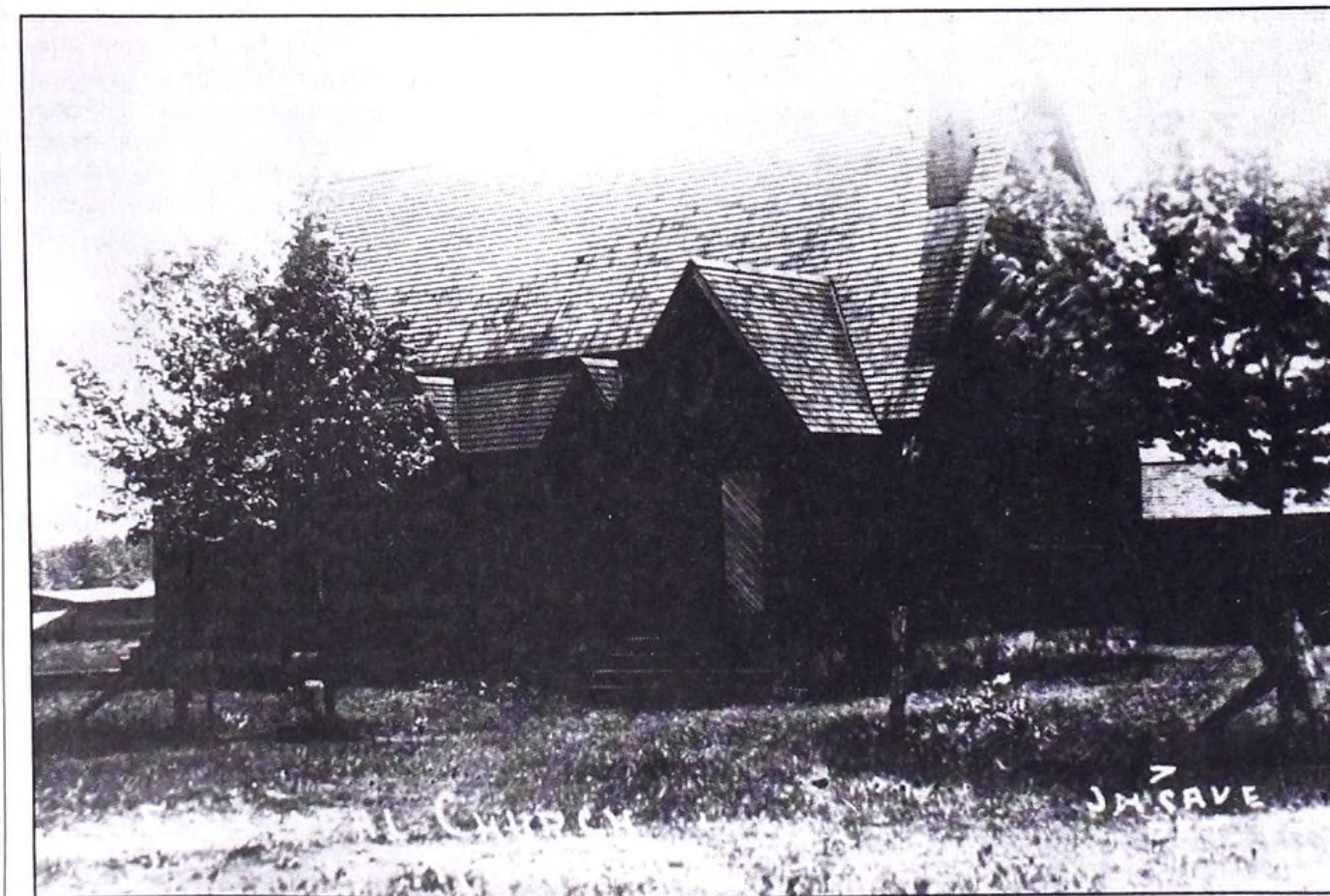
A massive \$1 million fire hit the Central Transport building on Ecorse Road but work by firemen and area volunteers kept the damage to a minimum.

Incumbent school board trustee Sandra Langley and former trustee Ken Berlinn won election to two board seats in a quiet election that attracted only 852 voters.

July

Salvation Army plans to relocate to Middlebelt and Van Born roads inched closer to reality, as the rezoning plans were successfully introduced by a 4-3 vote of city council members.

To be finalized, the Salvation Army needed to garner a fifth vote, city leaders said.



The Lewkowicz home is shown in its early days, when it still bore the church-style architecture. ANP Special Photo

Home

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he and his family have made substantial repairs and remodeling efforts, but remain determined to keep it as close to the original as possible.

While displaying a photo album containing pictures of many of the repairs,

Lewkowicz said "I never realized it was a former church until my neighbor, Muriel Boelter, told me about it after we moved in."

Lewkowicz said it is too early to decide whether he wants to try to obtain any state historical recognition for his home.

As for now, the Lewkowicz family feels the house is a historical treasure for them to share and enjoy.

City Councilman Russ Lambert decided at the last moment not to seek re-election. Lambert said he was changing careers from construction to automotive pursuits and is considering seeking another run for office in 1995.

Despite temperatures in the 90s, more than 1,000 persons attended the Franzen Brothers Circus shows.

An in-house battle by correspondence erupted in Romulus City Hall as City Assessor Matt Raftary and Treasurer James Napiorkowski traded charges regarding local tax delay problems.

Police Chief Fred Dansby complained that Drug Awareness Resistance Education (DARE) funds were cut locally and the school district would not offer alternate funding.

A tough new student code of conduct was approved by the Romulus Community School Board outlawing disruptions such as sit-ins or the possession of drugs, weapons or portable telephones.

Salvation Army relocation plans were finalized, when Councilman Randy Gear supplied the needed fifth vote for a zoning change.

The zoning change will allow the Salvation Army to move from the present Goddard Road site next year. The move is necessitated by Metro Airport expansion.

Environmental Disposal Services (EDS) announced construction of a 4,000-foot well project off Wahfman and Grant roads. The well is expected to begin accepting non-hazardous liquid wastes next year.

The Romulus School Board revealed it plans to sue the city of Romulus in an effort to block spending of school relegated funds for roadway projects.

August

City Hall-Public Library asbestos abatement and remodeling project efforts are expected to cost about \$3.5 million, City Treasurer James Napiorkowski said.

The 11-month project is expected to begin this fall and will last at least 11 months.

Romulus killer Richard Mills was sentenced to 35-50 years in prison for his involvement in the slashing death of trucker Fred Adair Sr.

Mills and his partner, James Swazey, reportedly killed Adair so that they could use his truck to drive to Florida.

Hundreds of Michigan residents attended the eighth annual Downriver Senior Olympics at the Romulus Senior Center and the new Ro-

September

Twin Romulus traffic tragedies claimed the lives of a 4-year-old Taylor girl and a visiting Japanese student.

The first accident occurred when a 41-year-old Taylor grandmother lost control of her car on Inkster Road (near Wick Road) and the vehicle hit a tree.

The victim, Amanda Ann Fulton, was thrown out an open window and killed.

Later a Japanese visitor, Kimie Mentani, 25, was fatally injured when the vehicle she was driving skidded on Northline and was involved in a crash with another vehicle.

Thirty-fourth District Court Administrator Nancy Schuette, who was on paid leave with the court since March 15, resigned her post, a press release from presiding Judge William Szlinis revealed.

Schuette held the post since 1988. The press release stated both Schuette and Szlinis felt it was in the best interest of all concerned that a new court administrator be named.

Romulus Senior High School opened several days late (Sept. 15) because of various delays in remodeling efforts.

The school building was totally remodeled during the summer to allow for a massive new technology program.

An auto accident on Inkster Road on Sept. 11 resulted in two more deaths, the 11th and 12th of the year. The victims were identified as William Griggs Jr., 24, of Brownstown Township and Bobbie Rae Elliott, 22, of Taylor.

A group of Romulus residents turned out at the city council meeting late in September to complain about a planned waste water injection well.

The protesters successfully received a pledge from the council members that a public hearing would be scheduled in the near future on the issue.

Romulus Senior High School Principal Tom Dolan was named one of the top six educators in the state of Michigan.

In addition to the award, Dolan was told he would receive a check for \$25,000.

Romulus murder defendant Daniel Dowling was given a 2 1/2-to-15 year prison term by Records Court Judge Harvey Tennen for the shooting death of his live-in girl friend, Joanne Lincoln in 1978.

October

More than 330 Romulus and Belleville CROP walkers turned out for the annual walk for the hungry and needy in the area and around the world.

Romulus Senior High School leaders said the school was still without heat as the outdoor temperatures dipped to 60 degrees.

The Romulus Public Library closed for three weeks in preparation of a move to Mount Pleasant School, as asbestos abatement programs at the library and City Hall were about to begin.

Romulus City Council members meeting in special session voted to have the city attorney file for an injunction to block further work on the environmental injection well project.

Former Fire Chief Joseph Crova died on Oct. 18 after suffering a stroke in November 1991. Crova was the second fire chief in the city history.

Plans to purchase new election machines for Romulus were delayed as council member decided to discuss offers from the two main bidders in further detail.

November

Convicted Romulus killer James Swazey was given a 60-100 year sentence in connection with the slashing death of Romulus trucker Frederick Adair Sr.

able condition and a major mosquito problem each summer, Banko said.

Other reported zoning violations pertain to illegally erected fences and out buildings and the illegal storage of semi-trailers, Banko said.

"If we ever had a fire out there, we would have a heck of a time putting it out," Banko said.

Trial

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lations, Banko said, is the illegal storage of more than 100,000 vehicle tires on the five-acre property, which is north of Ecorse Road.

The storage of that amount of old tires creates a deplor-

Scrooge robs Romulus man

A Scrooge-style bandit robbed a 20-year-old Romulus man in broad daylight on Wayne Road, less than a week before Christmas.

The victim, Antonio Miller, said he was behind a Wayne Road strip mall about 1 p.m. Dec. 20, when suddenly he felt someone poke him in the back

and declare, "Don't move or I'll shoot you."

The bandit continued, "I know where your money is, just lay on the ground."

The man, dressed in a dark-colored stocking mask and blue jump suit, then reached into Miller's pocket and removed his holiday cash.

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A. CITY OF ROMULUS REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR BID #93-22 ELECTRICAL MAINTENANCE CONTRACT

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from licensed electrical contractors for the purpose of providing new installations and electrical maintenance on an as needed basis for all City facilities including but not limited to, "confined space", pumping stations, and outdoor and indoor electrical systems.

(1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from Lynn A. Conway, Finance Coordinator, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (313) 942-7564.

(2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., January 20, 1994. At that time said bids will be publicly opened and read.

BID ENVELOPES SHOULD BE MARKED:

City Clerk

City of Romulus, Michigan

BID #93-22 ELECTRICAL MAINTENANCE CONTRACT

11111 Wayne Road

Romulus, MI 48174

(3) The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and proposals and to waive technicalities. A bid guarantee in the amount of five (5) percent of the total bid will be required to accompany the bid.

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A. CITY OF ROMULUS REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR BID #93-32 1994 FIFTEEN (15) PASSENGER VAN

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for one (1) 1994, fifteen (15) passenger van.

(1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from Lynn A. Conway, Finance Coordinator, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (313) 942-7564.

(2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., January 13, 1994. At that time said bids will be publicly opened and read.

BID ENVELOPES SHOULD BE MARKED:

City Clerk

City of Romulus, Michigan

BID #93-32 1994 FIFTEEN (15) PASSENGER VAN

11111 Wayne Road

Romulus, MI 48174

(3) The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and proposals and to waive technicalities. A bid guarantee in the amount of 5% of the bid price will be required.

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A. CITY OF ROMULUS REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR BID #93-31

T.D.D. UNIT FOR THE ROMULUS POLICE DEPARTMENT

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for the acquisition of one (1) T.D.D. (Telecommunications Device for the Deaf) for the Romulus Police Department.

(1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from Lynn A. Conway, Finance Coordinator, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (313) 942-7564.

(2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., January 20, 1994. At that time said bids will be publicly opened and read.

BID ENVELOPES SHOULD BE MARKED:

City Clerk

City of Romulus, Michigan

BID #93-31 T.D.D. UNIT FOR THE ROMULUS POLICE DEPT.

11111 Wayne Road

Romulus, MI 48174

(3) The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and proposals and to waive technicalities. A bid guarantee in the amount of 5% of the bid price will be required.

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CITY OF ROMULUS MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD DECEMBER 13, 1993 IN THE ROMULUS CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Councilman Jimmie Raspberry.

Present: Bergeron, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry.

Absent: None

Excused: Banks, Gear, Wadsworth

Administrative Officials in Attendance:

Beverly McAnally, Mayor

Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk

James Napiorkowski, Treasurer

Motion by Bergeron, supported by Prybyla to accept the agenda as amended.*

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-494

2A. Motion by Pennington, supported by Prybyla to approve the minutes of Regular Council meeting held on December 6, 1993.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

3A. No action taken.

5. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Pennington to concur with the recommendation of the Mayor Beverly McAnally and the Mayors Consent Agenda 5A1 through 5A2.

93-495

5A1. To introduce Budget Amendment 93/94-5 as follows:

FUND/DEPT. ACCOUNT NO.	ACCOUNT NAME	CURRENT BUDGET	AMENDMENT	AMENDED BUDGET
BUILDING & GROUNDS				
101-265.00-970.000	Capital Outlay	56,900	2,257	59,157
RECREATION				
101-691.00-935.000	Maintenance	20,000	(2,257)	17,743

To appropriate for the resurfacing of tennis courts at Park #1.

93-496

5A2. To authorize the Mayor and Clerk to enter into a Storm Sewer Agreement with Wendy's Restaurant located at 9859 Middlebelt Road for the City to officially take jurisdiction and control for maintenance and repair of thirty (30) feet of storm sewer within the right of way of Middlebelt Road.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5B. No action taken.

5. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Prybyla to accept the Mayor's Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-497

6A1. Motion by Pennington, supported by Bergeron to approve the second reading and final adoption of Budget Amendments 93/94-6,7,8 introduced at the regular meeting of December 6, 1993.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A2. Deleted from agenda.

6A3. Deleted from agenda.

93-497

11. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Prybyla to approve payment of Warrant #93-23 in the total amount of Two Hundred Eight Seven Thousand, Five Hundred and One Dollars and Seventy Seven Cents (\$287,501.77).

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

12. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Prybyla to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Bergeron, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk

City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held December 13, 1993.

Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

Publish: January 5, 1994

CITY OF ROMULUS MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD DECEMBER 6, 1993 IN THE ROMULUS CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mary Ann Banks, Mayor Pro Tem

Present: Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth.

Absent: None

Excused: Bergeron

Administrative Officials in Attendance:

Beverly McAnally, Mayor

Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk

James Napiorkowski, Treasurer

Motion by Pennington, supported by Wadsworth to accept the agenda as amended.

Pledge of Allegiance

Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Gear, to approve the minutes of Regular Council meeting held on November 22, 1993.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Abstain - Prybyla. Motion Carried.

93-475

3A. Motion by Pennington, supported by Wadsworth, to concur with the recommendation of the Planning Commission and the City Planner and deny PC-008-05-93, a request to amend the official zoning map of the City of Romulus, by rezoning DP #6-99-26-000 an approximate 2 acre parcel of property located on the northeast corner of Henry Ruff and Merriman Roads from R-1B (Single Family Residential) to C-2 (General Business) for retail/office.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-476

3B. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Pennington to concur with the recommendation from the police Department and approve transfer of ownership of a 1993 SDM licensed business from Polka Dot Pantry, Inc. located at 37135 Goddard.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-477

4A. Motion by Gear, supported by Prybyla to concur with Mary Ann Banks, Mayor Pro Tem and proceed as directed in the settlement of the court case Street vs. City of Romulus

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

4. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Gear, to accept the Chairperson's Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5. Motion by Gear, supported by Pennington to concur with the recommendation of the Mayor Beverly McAnally and the Mayors Consent Agenda 5A1 through 5A7.

93-478

5A1. To include sidewalk construction in the County's Eureka Road reconstruction project between Middlebelt & Inkster Road. This project is in a TIFA District at an estimated cost of \$65,000 to be borne by the City of Romulus.

93-479

5A2. Pursuant to a recommendation from the City Engineers and the Department of Public Works, include watermain relocation in the

County's Eureka Road reconstruction project between Middlebelt & Inkster Roads at an estimated cost of \$90,000 to be borne by the City of Romulus.

93-480

5A3. To reject Bid 93-24 Fifteen (15) Passenger Van with Rear Wheelchair Lift, and grant authorization to re-let for One (15) Passenger Van without Wheelchair Lift as recommended by Duwayne Martin, Recreation Director.

93-481

Fund/Dept

Account No.

5A4. to introduce Budget Amendment 93/94-6 as follows:

GENERAL FUND ACCOUNT NAME	CURRENT BUDGET	AMENDED BUDGET	FUND AMENDMENT
VEHICLE & EQUIPMENT FUND			
Computer Equipment			
661-000.00-699.101	Capital Outlay Transfer In	56,900 0	2,250 (2,250)
GENERAL FUND			
Recreation			
101-691.00-818.00	Contractual Serv Transfer Out	20,000	(2,250)
101-906.00-999.661	Vehicle & Equip.	0	2,250

To appropriate funds for the purchase of a personal computer and printer.

93-482

5A5. To introduce Budget Amendment 93/94-7 as follows:

Fund/Dept. Account No.	Account Name	Current Budget	Amendment	Amended Budget
Building & Grounds				
101-265.00-970.000	Capital Outlay	79,157	185	79,342
Recreation				
101-691.00-881.000	Senior Citizens	8,000	(185)	7,815

To appropriate funds for the purchase of a gas range

93-483

5A.6 To introduce Budget Amendment 93/94-8 as follows:

FUND/DEPT.	CURRENT BUDGET	AMEND- MENT	AMENDED BUDGET
ACCOUNT NO.	ACCOUNT NAME		
GENERAL FUND			
Building			
101-371.00-970.00	Capital Outlay	4,500	1,500
		AVAILABLE	AMEND- MENT
		177,356	1,500
FUND BALANCE			175,856

To appropriate funds for the purchase of a file cabinet

93-484

5A. 7 to acknowledge receipt of the Budget Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-485

5B. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Wadsworth, to award Bid 93-26 Official Publications, to Associated Newspaper, Inc., for the next twelve (12) months in the amount of \$4.26 per column inch.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - Pennington. Motion Carried.

93-486

5C.1. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Pennington, to remove from table Resolution 93-410 Bid 93-17 Electronic Voting Equipment.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-487

5C.2. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Prybyla to reject Bid 93-17

Electronic Voting Equipment.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-488

5C.3. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Prybyla, to re-let bid 93-27 Electronic Voting Equipment.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-489

5C.4. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Pennington to concur with the recommendation of Linda Choate, City Clerk and schedule a Study Session for Monday, January 3, 1994 at 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of demonstrating the Electronic Vote Tabulation Systems.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-490

5D. Motion by Pennington supported by Wadsworth to direct Barry Seifman, City Attorney to forward a communication to the County of Wayne, indicating the City's intent to exercise its option to repurchase 5 CFS, pipe capacity at the same rate and method as it was paid by the County to the City \$50,000 per annum for the next ten (10) years.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Motion by Gear, supported by Pennington to accept the Mayor's Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-491

6A1. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Pennington, to receive and file the Sidewalk Agreement with Johnston Collision, Inc. located 11900 Hunt, dated November 11, 1993.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

93-492

6A2. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Gear, to adopt Budget Amendments 93/94-3,4, submitted to Council at the regular meeting held November 22, 1993.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

7. Pennington excused 9:15 p.m.

93-493

9. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Wadsworth, to refer communication from Mrs. Coomer to Cable Commission to meet with Omnicom Cablevision, to implement the Catholic Network in Romulus.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

11. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Prybyla to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Gear, Pennington, Prybyla, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk

City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held December 6, 1993.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

Publish: January 5, 1994

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SEND INFORMATION-- Items for the "Community Calendar" should be submitted in writing no later than noon Thursday to Community Calendar, Associated Newspapers, P.O. Box 578, Wayne, Mich. 48184. Each calendar event should be listed on a separate piece of paper. For more information, phone our news room at 729-4000.



CLUBS, GROUPS

WAYNE-WESTLAND YMCA OPEN HOUSE-- is planned for 9 a.m. until noon Jan. 8 at the 827 South Wayne Road facility in Westland. There will be free balloons, popcorn and family discounts available. For more information phone 721-7044.

POSITIVE PARENTING-- a six-week series on improving parenting skills and practices begins at 10:30 a.m. and continues until noon Jan. 8 at His and Her Place Counseling Center, 1069 Buckingham (at Fort Street). The class will meet every Saturday for six weeks. The fee is \$10 per class. Information is available at 381-5620.

WAYNE COUNTY 4-H DOG CLUBS-- are forming. Interested individuals, parents and club leaders should phone (313) 721-6576 or 494-3010 and leave a name, address, age of owner and breed of dog. All breeds and mixes are welcome.

WAYNE-WESTLAND SOCCER LEAGUE-- representatives are planning spring registration at the Wayne Community Center, 4635 Howe Road in Wayne from 6 until 8 p.m. Jan. 5 and 12, Feb. 1, 2, 8 and 9. Boys and girls ages 3 1/2 and up are welcome. More information is available at 458-7786.

PAT-PARENTING AFFIRMATIVE TECHNIQUES-- a new support group for parents begins at 7 p.m. Jan. 10 at His and Her Place Counseling Center, 1069 Buckingham, Lincoln Park. The focus of the group will be on controlling parental anger and learning positive discipline techniques. To register, phone 381-5620.

A CANCER SUPPORT GROUP-- will meet at St. Mary's Hospital at 7 p.m. Jan. 5 in the hospital auditorium at Five Mile Road at Levan in Livonia. A registered dietitian will speak on "Cancer and Nutrition." There is no charge for the meeting and all interested individuals

are welcome. For information, phone 591-2600.

ROMULUS HUNTER SAFETY COURSES-- will be offered at the Wayne County Sportsman's club in conjunction with the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. Classes are scheduled for 8 a.m. on Saturdays and 9 a.m. on Sundays are set for Jan. 22 and 23, Feb. 26 and 27, March 26 and 27, April 23 and 24 and May 21 and 22. To qualify for a Michigan Safe Hunter Certificate, a participant must attend all sessions, both days on one of the week-ends and must successfully complete an examination at the end of the class sessions. There is a \$6 fee for the sessions. Information and registration forms are available from Bill Miller at 532-0285.

THE WAYNE WESTLAND SOCCER LEAGUE-- is sponsoring a soccer referee class in Westland from Jan. 10 through 26 on Mondays and Wednesdays. Individuals 11 through adults are needed. For more information, phone John Emmerd at 728-4008.

TRI-COUNTY OPTIMIST CLUB-- of Belleville, Sumpter and Van Buren townships will meet at 7:15 a.m. every Tuesday at the Reflections Lakeview. For additional information on the club or the breakfast meetings, phone 697-0104.

YMCA FREE FINANCIAL PLANNING WORKSHOPS-- are planned to help with strategies for families of the 90s. The free workshop, sponsored by the YMCA and I.D.S. Financial Services, is planned for 6:30 p.m. Jan. 10 at the St. John's Episcopal Church (across from the YMCA). Information about the free seminar is available at 721-7044.

A WEIGHT LOSS PEER SUPPORT GROUP-- will be newly formed at 11 a.m. Jan. 8 and Jan. 22 at Garden City Hospital Medical Office Building, 6245 Inkster Road. Future meetings will be bi-weekly on Saturdays. There is no fee for the program. For information, phone 261-4048.

MANIC DEPRESSIVE AND DEPRESSIVE RAP GROUP-- members will meet from 7:30 until 9:30 p.m. the first and third Thursday of the month at the Harrison Center at Maplewood and Harrison Road in Garden City. More information is available at 981-5936 or 532-4217.

THE SENIOR ALLIANCE EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM-- is looking for low-income seniors, 55 or older, who would enjoy working with children. Part-time jobs are available for low income men and women 55 and older through the Senior Community Service Employment Program. For more information, phone Diane at 722-2830.

WILD TURKEY HUNTING CLINIC-- sponsored by the Wayne County Sportsman's Club members and the National Rifle Association is planned for 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. March 12 at the club building, 18102 S. Ink-

ster Road in Romulus. Cost for the day-long clinic will be \$15 which includes lunch. Space is limited so early registration is advised. Information is available at 532-0285.

FOSTER FAMILIES ARE SOUGHT-- for special needs children in Wayne County who suffer from abuse and neglect. A growing number of these children are infants and toddlers. The number of children entering the system is rising to 250 each month. Those families who can offer special understanding and quality care and are interested in becoming foster parents can obtain information at Lutheran Social Services, 423-2760 from 8:30 until 5 p.m.

THE HOSPICE OF SOUTH-EASTERN MICHIGAN-- is offering grief support groups for individuals recovering from the loss of a loved one. The group meets in Belleville from 7:30 until 9:30 the first and third Tuesdays of the month at the First United Methodist Church, 417 Charles St. For more information, phone 291-9700.

THE METHODIST CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY-- is seeking foster parents to give a child a new beginning. An informational meeting is planned from 6 until 8 p.m. Jan. 5 at Methodist Children's Home Society, 26645 West Six Mile Road in Detroit. For more information about the meeting, or the program, phone LaTonya Shephard (313) 531-4060.

FIRST STEP-- a domestic violence crisis shelter is offering two new programs. A Violence Intervention Program for men who batter and First Step for Children which offers group counseling for children who have witnessed violence or are living in violent homes. First Step has moved new offices at 44978 Ford Road, Suite C, Canton Township. Information about the program is available at 453-9595.

FOSTER PARENTING CLASSES-- are being offered at Youth Living Centers on Tuesdays and Thursdays. For further information, phone Noreen Green at 728-3400.

ANNAPOLIS HOSPITAL OF WAYNE-- is seeking adult volunteers for patient care, clerical, bingo, gift cart and gift shop. For an application call 467-4168.

CHADD OF NORTHWEST WAYNE COUNTY-- a non-profit, parent-based organization formed to better the lives of individuals with attention deficit disorders and those who care for them meets the first Thursday of every month at the Livonia Civic Center Library. Parents, educators and the medical community members are welcome. The next meeting will begin at 7:30 Jan. 6. Information is available at 380-0847.

THE 1994 MICHIGAN TEEN PAGEANT-- is planned for March 19 and 20, 1994 at the Royce Hotel in Romulus. Entrants must be between 13 and 19 years of age and

never married. Applications are available by writing Michigan Teen Pageant, Regional Headquarters, Dept. N., 347 Locust Ave., Washington, Pa. 15301-3399 until Dec. 31. There is a \$1,000 cash scholarship among the prizes and awards.

ROMULUS QUILTING CLASS-- from 7 to 9:30 p.m. every Thursday in the Romulus Recreation Building. Quilters from beginners to advanced are invited to attend. \$1 fee per evening. No advance registration is required. For more information call 942-6852.

CANTON DEMOCRATIC CLUB-- members meet the fourth Wednesday of the month at Cherry Hill School, corner of Ridge and Cherry Hill roads in Canton Township. For more information call 397-0545.

ALZHEIMER'S CARE-GIVERS-- a support group for Alzheimer's caregivers will meet from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. on the third Tuesday of every month at St. John Neumann, 4480 Warren Road in Canton Township. All meetings are free and everyone is welcome. For more information phone Rosemarie Shim at 697-8051 or Anna Lilla at the Alzheimer's Association at 557-8277.

AEROBICS CLASSES-- for women, men and families are offered from 6 to 7 p.m. at the YWCA of western Wayne County, 26279 Michigan Ave., Inkster. Come as often as you like Mondays and Thursdays. Each session is \$2 for members and \$2.50 for non-members. To register or for more information call 561-4110.

THE ADVOCATES TOAST-MASTERS CLUB-- meets every Monday at 7 p.m. at St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 5885 Venoy Road, one block north of Ford Road. For information phone 728-4774 or 721-1058.

WAYNE COUNTY PARK SYSTEM FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS-- is planned from 7 until 10 p.m. nightly until Jan. 9 on Hines Drive in the Middle Rouge Parkway. Enter Hines Drive at Merriman between Warren and Ann Arbor Trail in Westland. A \$5 per-car donation is requested for the longest drive-through holiday light display in Wayne County. Four miles of giant, animated characters created from twinkling lights line the exhibit. For information, phone 261-1990.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS DOWNRIVER CHAPTER 369-- meets at the Royce Hotel in Romulus the first, third, and fifth Wednesday of each month. Orientation for new members begins at 8 p.m. The general meeting begins at 8:30 p.m. A dance at 9 p.m. follows each meeting. The cost is \$3 for members and \$5 for non-members. For more information call 941-4017 or 783-3274.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON JAYCEES-- will meet at 8 p.m. the fourth Thursday of every month at the Plymouth Cultural Center. For further

information, phone 453-1915.

WAYNE JAYCEES-- meet at 7:30 p.m. every second Thursday of each month at the First United Methodist Church. Meetings are open to the public. More information is available from Joey Hultman, 729-7013.

FAMILY RECREATION NIGHT-- is planned from 6 until 10 p.m. the first Friday of every month at the Wayne Ford Civic League, 1645 North Wayne Road. Basketball, volleyball, floor hockey, ping pong, pool and little tykes toys are planned. There is no charge for league members and non-members admission is \$3 per family. Information is available at 728-5010.

ENCORE-- Post Mastectomy Group for Women will meet from 10:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. every Monday at the Dearborn Athletic Club. For more information, phone 561-4110. The group also meets from 9 to 11:30 a.m. on Thursdays at the Forum Health Club in Westland.

PREGNANCY SUPPORT GROUP-- for moms of all ages in the Belleville area. For more information, phone 697-4409.

CIVIL AIR PATROL-- Willow Run Airport Cadet Squadron meets at 6:30 p.m. each Thursday. Adult members perform flight operations and unit administrative functions. For more information, phone 697-5330.

SOUTHEAST SUBURBAN MOTHERS OF TWINS CLUB-- meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Monday of each month. Phone 942-9678.

THE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL-- A support group for families will meet at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of every month at Annapolis Hospital Westland Center in conference room A. Phone Peggy Morey at 562-2274 for further information.

LEADS CLUB, DEARBORN CHAPTER-- will meet at 7:30 a.m. each Thursday at the Marriott Residence Inn in Dearborn. The club offers business people with an effective means to increase their business. Phone Ed Jarvis at 277-0300.

FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP-- for family members and friends of individuals afflicted with Alzheimer's Disease will meet at 7 p.m. the first Wednesday of every month at Leisure Village, 31720 Van Born Road in Wayne. Phone Geraldann DiDomenico at 326-8030. Sponsored by the Alzheimer's Association, Detroit Area Chapter.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS-- Members of the support group for overeaters meet at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at St. John's Episcopal Church in Westland, every Monday at Growth Works, Inc. in Plymouth and every Thursday at Unity Church in Inkster. Phone 545-LIFE.

ALANON-- meets at 10 a.m. every Thursday at First United Methodist Church in Belleville. Meetings are closed to the general public. For information phone 461-6031.

TOPS-- Take Off Pounds Sensibly 1485 of Belleville meets at 6 p.m. Tuesdays at the Kirkridge Park Club House. Phone Kim at 697-3721.

TOPS-- at United Presbyterian Church, 11900 Belleville Road in Belleville, meets at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday. For more information, phone Madelyn at 699-9633.

TOPS-- The Westland group meets at 7 p.m. Tuesdays at Good Shepherd Reformed Church, 6500 North Wayne Road. For more information call Janet Miller at 721-2787 or Shirley Erickson at 595-1876.

DIVORCE SUPPORT GROUP-- sponsored by Schoolcraft College Women's Resource Center meets at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of every month in the lower level conference room of the Waterman Campus.

AMBASSADOR JUNIOR CIVITANS-- will meet 7 p.m. at the Historical Meeting House located at 36993 Marquette Road the first and third Tuesday of each month. New members between the ages of 13 and 18 are sought for community service activities.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS-- a self-help group of recovering addicts who help each other. Information regarding the group and meetings is available at 543-7200.

MOTHERS AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING (MADD)-- Wayne County Chapter has a Victim Support Group for the victims and surviving family members/friends of drunk driving accidents. Meetings are scheduled at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at Gabriel Richard Campus Ministry Building, U of M Dearborn Campus, 3001 Evergreen Road in Dearborn. Call the MADD office at 422-MADD for more information.

WAYNE CIVITANS -- an all-volunteer service organization of men, women and teens will meet at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Wednesday of the month. For information phone David at 326-1558.

WAYNE FORD CIVIC LEAGUE-- members have scheduled a family recreation night from 6 until 10 p.m. the first Friday of every month. Activities for all ages are planned. Further information is available at 728-5010.

THE CANTON LIONS CLUB-- members are seeking individuals interested in helping the blind to join their organization. For information regarding the club, phone Art Winkle at 453-5659.

TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL CLUB 6694-28-- members meet at 6 p.m. Thursdays at Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road in Westland. The public is invited to the meetings to learn more about the club which stresses development of public speaking skills. Information is available at 421-0264.

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January 4, 1994

To the Citizens of Romulus,

I am a resident of Romulus, and I'm writing this letter because I feel it's the only way I can be heard. My concerns stem from my experiences with regard to the E.D.S. Deepwell Facility that has become perhaps the most controversial matter in the city. I have researched deepwell injection on my own time. I have attempted to voice my opinion on the subject at city council meetings but the tone of these meetings is somewhat less than receptive.

I'm angry at the people on the City Council. These people are supposed to be representing me and the other citizens of Romulus. Instead, they're representing a small, uninformed, vocal minority. The deepwell injection project was given tacit approval by the Council as far back as 1990. While I recognize that the Council membership has changed, and that not all members currently on the Council approved of the E.D.S. deepwell Facility three years ago, the fact remains that the Mayor and the Council continued to give E.D.S. the nod to go ahead, in some instances formally, in others informally. They were anything but "in the dark". City permits were issued for project activities and the city attorney issued legal opinions that indicated that the city had no jurisdiction. Now that this Recap group has kicked up their heels, the City Council seems to have lost sight of the factual history of the project and the merits that it holds for Romulus. Instead of making decisions in the city's best interests, they're oiling the squeaky wheel.

It's about time somebody else kicked up their heels. I'm urging my neighbors to get involved. If this case goes forward, everybody loses. E.D.S. has already spent over \$2 million, and if they lose in court, they are sure to come back at the City for damages. Even if they win, they will have spent a great deal of money fighting a battle that they never expected. This is sure to result in the cancellation of all benefits to the City. The City has

already allocated \$100,000 - \$55,000 from my kids' parks and recreation money - to fund the legal process. This case could last for years, and those costs will just keep piling up, while our services and local amenities suffer. I've heard tlk of possible layoffs, beginning with union workers in the City. Furthermore, the message that we're sending to other businesses seeking to locate in Romulus is anything but inviting. The quadruple whammy - higher costs, fewer services, lower revenues, and diminished prospects for the future - is clearly a NO WIN situation.

To rehash all the facts about this project, the technical aspects of deepwell technology and the geology of the Romulus site - I'll leave that to E.D.S., the EPA, and the DNR. But I will say that I've done my own research, and I'm convinced of the merits of the project on the basis of safety, environmental benefits, educational opportunities/enhancements, employment opportunities, and financial impact on the City. I'm further convinced that if people don't take a stand soon, what started out as an opportunity will end up being a severe blow to this City. Take a stand. Call the Mayor. Call the Council. Get to the City Council meetings. Don't let a small group of rabble rousers destroy a good thing. If you don't act now, we'll all be footing a hefty bill. There's a lot to be gained, and even more that might be lost. It's time to stop the posturing and hysteria, come to some cooperative agreement, and get on with taking advantage of what this project has to offer us, the citizens and children of Romulus.

Sincerely,

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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

WD-17J

December 30, 1993

Mr. N. Peter Bergeron
City Councilman
City of Romulus
11111 Wayne Road
Romulus, MI 48174

Re: Response to Comments regarding the Environmental Disposal Systems, Inc., Hazardous Waste Disposal Well in Romulus, Michigan

Dear Mr. Bergeron:

Thank you for your letter of December 22, 1993, regarding the Environmental Disposal Systems, Inc. (EDS), hazardous waste disposal well in Romulus, Michigan. We appreciate the opportunity to answer your questions regarding this site.

We would first like to say that the data regarding the completion of the well has recently been submitted. Because of the volume of material and the complexity involved, a full review will not be completed for some time. Therefore, any responses made must be considered in that light.

Your first two questions are related, and therefore will be answered together. We are currently reviewing the data for the injection of non-hazardous and non-banned hazardous waste only. At this time, our review indicates that the well is constructed properly, and will be protective of Underground Sources of Drinking Water (USDWs). However, the safety is also related not only to the construction, but also the operation of the site. While we cannot predict how the site will be operated, numerous safeguards will be implemented to ensure the safe and proper operation of the facility. This will include continuous monitoring of the well to ensure no leaks are present, alarm systems which will shut the well down if a problem occurs, waste analysis to monitor what is going down the well, and periodic inspections to review the operation.

In regards to the waste coming up in other communities, this has never happened in Region 5 since the beginning of our program. A preliminary review of the geology indicates this will not occur, and the permit would not have been issued if this possibility was even remotely likely. Instances where waste has migrated upwards are extremely rare, and occurred before the current construction and operating requirements were in force. Where it has happened was generally related to high injection pressures and improperly plugged wells in the immediate vicinity which penetrated the injection zone. This is not the case for the EDS site. For other sites in the state, vertical migration of waste is estimated to be no more than a couple hundred of feet above the injection zone, which is generally 3000-3500 feet below any potential drinking water source, and horizontal migration of waste is no more than 1-2 miles over a 20-30 year period. All wells within a 2 mile radius from the EDS well and which penetrate the confining zone were reviewed during the permitting process, and no improperly plugged wells were found.

We wish to note, however, that we cannot and do not guarantee that no problems will ever occur at this site. At this time, the review of the material is still ongoing, and no authorization to inject will be given until all the data has been reviewed and found to be adequate.

I hope this has answered your questions. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact David Werbach of my staff at (312) 886-4242.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Richard J. Zdanowicz".

Richard J. Zdanowicz, Chief
Underground Injection Control Section

NEW ARRIVALS

Stephen Press

Lorri Lynn and Stephen Paul Press of Farmington Hills became the parents of a son, Stephen Todd, born Nov. 11, 1993.

The new arrival weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces at birth.

His grandparents include Richard and Lois Press of Wayne and Thomas and Theresa Lally of Westland.

He was named after his father and his late uncle, Todd Joseph Lally.



Stephen Press

Cory Adair

Fred Adair and Dawn Sharrard of Lenawee Street in Westland became the parents of a son, Cory Gene, born at 7:37 p.m. Dec. 22, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

The new arrival made his debut weighing 6 pounds, 12 ounces and has dark brown hair and blue eyes.

He will join a sister, Ashley Ann Adair.

The baby's grandmother is Diane Adair of Romulus.

Alyssa Shelton

Michael and Carrie Shelton of Mildred Street in Wayne became the parents of a daughter, Alyssa Margaret, born at 12:30 p.m. Dec. 23, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

The new arrival made her debut weighing 6 pounds, 14 ounces and has brown hair and blue eyes.

Grandparents of the infant include Bill Basner of Canton Township and Ray and Gloria Shelton of Brooklyn, Mich.

Kaitlyn Collier

Charles Collier and Kelly Wright of Newcastle Street in Romulus became the parents of a daughter, Kaitlyn Ann, born at 12:07 a.m. Dec. 17, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

The new arrival made her debut weighing 6 pounds, 15 ounces and has dark brown hair and blue eyes.

Grandparents of the baby include Paul and Anna Wright of Romulus and Martin and Anna Collier, also of Romulus.

Stephen Messina

Stephen V. and Tommye Jo (Picone) Messina became the parents of a son, Stephen Joseph, born at 7:49 a.m. Nov. 19, 1993 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

The new arrival weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces at birth and measured 19 1/2 inches in length. He will join a sister, Megan Elizabeth Bergeron, 8 1/2.


Grandparents of the baby include Stephen and Jo Messina of Arizona, Patricia Margaret Eckroad of Ypsilanti.

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Wayne County Community College student Jennifer Wilson is Making Education First. Wilson is a Westland resident who is studying criminal justice at the College. She plans to continue in the field by obtaining a master's degree and maybe even teaching at Wayne County Community College. Wilson enjoys reading and basketball.

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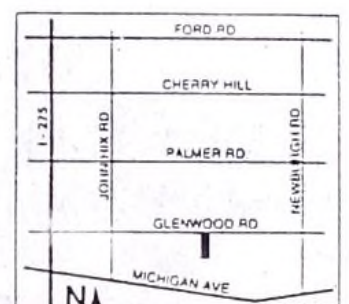
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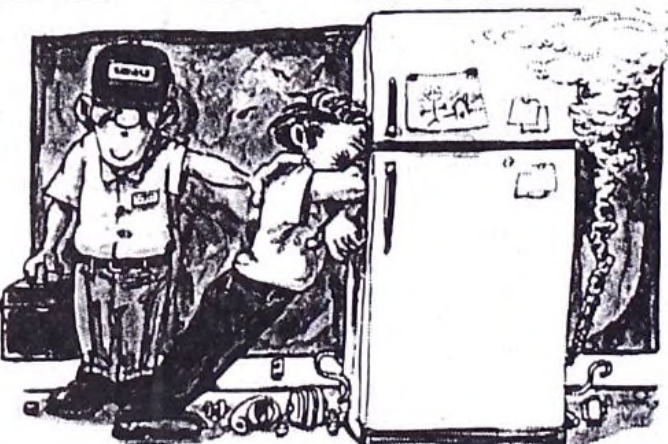
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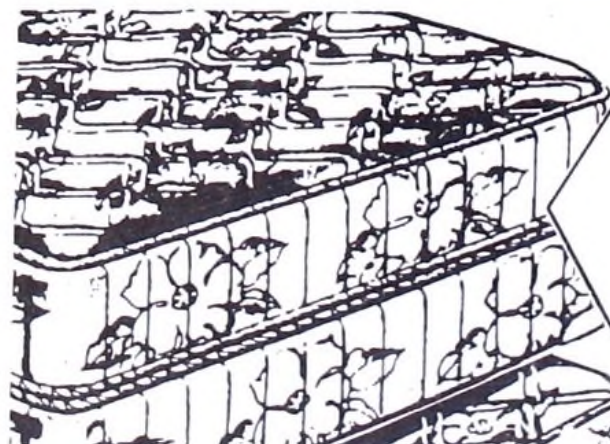
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Sports

Robichaud wins Romulus invitational cage crown

3rd-quarter chill stops Eagles

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Robichaud High School basketball players unwrapped a late Christmas gift, courtesy of their Romulus opponents last week.

Coach Ron Tarrant's cagers,

outscored the Eagles 21-4 in the third period, were presented the Romulus Holiday Basketball Tournament title, thanks to a 68-51 victory over their hosts.

The victory boosted Robichaud's record to 4-1 for the 1993 phase of the season.

Turnovers and Robichaud defense turned the night into a nightmare after Christmas for first-year Romulus coach Guy DelGiudice.

"We got to learn to play 32 minutes of basketball," stressed DelGiudice, who replaced Chris Molloy as the Eagles' head coach. "We can't afford letdowns and lackluster

play."

Tarrant said that didn't expect to see his team in the finals, but was happy with the title.

"I was surprised at our overall performance," Tarrant added. "We beat a good and state-ranked (Detroit) Cody to earn a shot at Romulus. Our kids played great in this series."

Robichaud knocked off Cody, 83-72, while Romulus turned back Detroit Northwestern, 59-57, to advance to the championship game.

Romulus managed to break a 14-all first period tie by outscoring Robichaud 18-13 in the second eight-minutes and led

32-27 at the intermission. But the Eagles couldn't purchase a basket in the third period and scored only four points while Dewey Mitchell led a Bulldog assault that was joined by Antwan Harris and Tyrus Williams. Robichaud took a 12-point

(48-36) advantage into the final quarter and was not seriously challenged the rest of the way.

Mitchell, a 6-0 guard, tossed in a game-high 27 points to lead all scorers. Williams accounted for 23 points and Harris finished with 16. On the other side of the ledger, Romulus got 11 points from Rodney Smith. Teammates La-

juan Wilson and Antoine Stoudmire split 20 points.

Led by Mitchell's 20 points and Harris' 18, Robichaud eked out an 83-72 decision over Cody.

Cody led after one, 13-9, but Harris and Williams sparked a second quarter rally that tied the game at 30-all at halftime. The Bulldogs went on to outscore their rivals 27-18 in the third period and maintained their marginal lead with a 26-24 edge in the final eight minutes.

Robichaud started the season with a 58-53 victory over Ypsilanti Lincoln, then lost a 10-point verdict to Willow Run

- the Suburban Athletic Conference opener - before ripping Clarenceville 86-60 in a non-league game.

The Bulldogs were scheduled to meet natural rival, Inkster, last night in a duel that could tell a lot about the SAC. On Friday, Tarrant mobilizes his troops for a battle against visiting Ecorse.

In the meantime, Romulus will try to improve its 2-3 record at the expense of Woodhaven. (The two teams played last night). On Friday, the Eagles return to Adrian for a rematch. In their first encounter earlier this season, Adrian came out the victor.

Cooley snaps Wayne streak

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Wayne Memorial High School players and coach Chuck Henry will enter the 1994 phase of the basketball season with a renewed spirit and the confidence that they can play with the best of them.

The Zebras lost a thrilling 72-69 decision in overtime to state and Detroit Public School League power, Cooley, 72-69, last week to add credence to what most coaches have been saying: "Wayne is the power to reckon with this year."

However, the loss snapped a four-game Wayne winning streak.

Moreover, the setback revealed some interesting traits about the Zebras, according to the veteran Wayne coach.

"We were down by as much as 10 points during the first half and even with about three-minutes to go we trailed by as much as six," Henry recalled. "But these kids refused to snap. They played a real smart game and played aggressively. In fact, we took the lead at one point before the game was tied in regulation."

Knotted at 65-all at the end for four periods, the Detroiters managed to outscore their hosts 7-4 in the



extra period to claim the big victory.

Detroit had a 16-14 edge after one period then built a 36-26 advantage at halftime. Led by Gerald Adams and freshman Lorenzo Guess, the Zebras countered with a 17-15 third period before outscoring their visitors 20-14 in the final eight minutes.

Wayne had a shot at clinching the game in the closing seconds of the game

when Guess went up for a shot but the attempt was blocked. In that frame in regulation, it was Guess and Adams, who each pumped in six points, that led the Wayne comeback.

Guess finished with a team high 18 points while Adams chipped in 15. Teammate Rod Hardison also was in double scoring figures. He added 13.

Cooley countered with Tramelie Bullock's game-high 22 points. They also received 15 from Sylvester Dotson and Dawon Hale added 12.

In a near foul-free game, Wayne canned five of eight charities as compared to eight of 16 for the visitors.

Wayne, the last Wolverine "A" Conference champ, will begin a new era in basketball on Friday when the Zebras travel to Taylor Truman. It will be the first game in the new Mega Conference Red Division for Wayne.

Jason Overton (44) uses his 6-5, 220-pounds to block out a Cooley defender and grabs one of his 11 rebounds against the state power during a non-conference game last week. Overton (above) also added seven points. Wayne dropped a 72-69 decision in overtime to the Detroiters who have been a force in high school basketball - winning the state title two years ago - for the past decade. Wayne will begin a new chapter in the school basketball history on Friday when it meets Taylor Truman. The game is the first for both teams in the new Mega Conference, Red Division. ANP photo by DIVZio/chief photographer



No. 1 state-ranked Cass holds off Belleville for cage title, 58-47

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Cass Technical High School, the No. 1 ranked Class A team in the state, held off a slow-starting and cold-shooting Belleville to capture the Benton Harbor Invitational Basketball Championship.

Off to a horrendous shooting start, Belleville could only manage to put 13 points on the board for the entire first half and trailed 25-13 before losing to the Technicians in the finals, 58-47.

"It was a very disappointing game for us," said Belleville coach Michael Garland. "I felt we had plenty of opportunities, but we just couldn't capitalize on them."

"When you shoot 17 percent from the field - and that's what we did against them - you aren't going to win many games," Garland added.

Although Belleville never managed to overcome the cold start, the Tigers stayed within striking distance thanks to a couple of quick baskets by Jeremy Gold.

Gold was the only Belleville player to hit in double figures. He scored 12.

Cass Tech replied with a balanced attack that included 12 points each from Ulysses Johnson and Bryon Johnson. Cass' 6-7, 250-pound center John Morrison added 11 points.

The loss dipped the Belleville overall record to 3-2 on the year. The Tigers edged Detroit

It was a very disappointing game for us. I felt we had plenty of opportunities, but we just couldn't capitalize on them.

- Belleville coach Michael Garland

Denby, 70-68, in the first round of the holiday tournament.

Enjoying a 10-point cushion most of the first half, Belleville saw the lead dwindle as Denby came back on the strength of Antonio Granger sharpshooting.

Granger pumped in 12 of his game-high 26 points in the fourth period to erase the deficit and bring his team within a basket of catching up.

Belleville led 53-34 at intermission as Mike Foley sparked the Tigers. Foley finished with a team high 16 points, while Jason Gold - Jeremy's twin - scored 12 and Scott Chatfield counted 11.

Belleville launched the new league, Mega Conference (Red Division) before the holidays with an impressive 72-59 victory over Woodhaven. They lost a thriller, 60-59, to Detroit Pershing while beating Livonia Stevenson, 64-49.

Belleville will seek its second conference win Friday night, taking on a highly-respected Garden City quintet.

Local grapplers seek gold at Lincoln Park invitational

Local grapplers will pack up their gear and travel to Lincoln Park on Saturday to compete in their first big invitational of the new year.

Among the 20-local and area high school teams invited to compete for medals are: Wayne Memorial, Romulus, Belleville and Inkster. Others schools invited to the meet are Redford Union, Melvindale, Riverview, Southfield and Wyandotte.

"They'll be some pretty good teams and excellent wrestlers at this tournament," said Inkster coach Sam Ellis. "I expect the competition to be very tough."

High school wrestlers also must be certified this week at the weight they plan to compete at for the rest of the season. "It will be tough shaving off those pounds some of them have put on during the holidays," Ellis added.

Inkster gold medal hopefuls are 112-

pounder, Anthony Melchor, and heavyweight Kevin Jackson.

The Viking coach also sees Royal Gaines (189) and DuShawn Williams (152) competing for medals.

Ellis says he plans to take 13 and possibly 15 wrestlers to the Lincoln Park invitational.

In the meantime, Inkster pinned Southgate Aquinas 46-22 in what was tagged a double dual meet last week. However, Dearborn Heights Crestwood was a "no show" for the meet.

Melchor (112), Williams (152), Moses Davis (160), Thuron Edwards (171) were awarded wins via forfeits against Aquinas while Kevin Jackson pinned Franklin James in 30 seconds in their heavyweight match. The time for the victory established an Inkster record for the fastest pins for a sophomore.

All-Area Football Honorable mention

Due to space limitations, the list of those named to the Honorable Mention 1993 All-Area Football Team did not appear with the story last week. The list is published below:

Plymouth-Salem

Paul Tebben (guard), Andy Coburn (halfback), Brian Neal (tailback).

Wayne Memorial

Lorenzo Guess (quarterback), John Lloyd (guard), Corey McClelland (defensive lineman), Gerald Adams (wide receiver), Scott Wetmore (defensive back), James Bohnwagner (defensive back).

Westland John Glenn

Brian Morrison (quarterback), Jake Henry (defensive back), Dave Irwin (defensive back), Jim Tenant (defensive line).

Romulus High

Todd Hardrick (linebacker).

Belleville High

Luke Edwards (defensive end), Juston Carey (tight end, linebacker), Jeremy Gold (safety), Chris Cannon (free safety).

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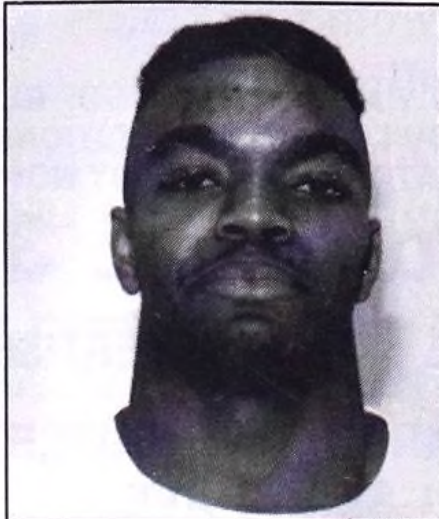
Eric Arnold (fullback), Chris Mazur (defensive end), Tony DeGiorgio (linebacker).

Inkster High

Anthony Holt (quarterback), Mark Nichols (linebacker), Naki Price (defensive end), Lawellyn Elliott (halfback).

Robichaud High

Stacey Davis (center), Broderick Ward (guard), Darnell Matthews (defensive tackle).



Bruce Calhoun earns honor.

Former Wayne Memorial High School football star Bruce Calhoun, an alumnus of the 1992 All-Area team, added another honor to his long list of athletic accomplishments.

Calhoun was among those athletes who received special commendation for his performance during the 1993 football campaign at Grand Valley State University.

Calhoun was named Offensive Scout Player of the Year.

JUST MARRIED

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Drs. Tony and Lorna Pinson

Dr. Lorna G. McCollum and Dr. Tony Pinson were married Oct. 9, 1993 at St. Clement's Episcopal Church of Inkster with Father Jacob Welborne officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. Thelma McCollum and William McCollum of Belleville.

The groom is the son of Dollie Haynes of East Gasden, Ala.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father. She wore a white sheath-styled gown of raw silk with a detachable train from the "Grand Tradition Collection." She carried a wreath of orchids mixed with autumn colors.

In keeping with the "Autumn Leaves Theme" of the wedding, the honor attendants donned cranberry tea-length suits with silk shantung collar shawls of autumn colors.

The flower girl wore a modified version of the costume.

The bride's mother wore a tea-length dressmaker's silk and satin tuxedo suit in bronze and gold tones with a matching hat.

The groom's mother chose a tea-length dressmaker's suit of silk brocade with gold and bronze threads. Both mothers wore orchid corsages with varietal autumn colors.

Honor attendants were maid and matron of honor

Hopkins, Minn., a sister of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Kimberly Clark Adedoyin of Maryland, Katie Butler of Wayne, Jill Devers of Chicago and Rosalind Boswell Kennon of Gasden, Ala., a sister of the groom.

Performing the duties of best man at the ceremony was Jerome Boswell of Gasden, Ala., a brother of the groom. Groomsmen included Kevin Burrell of Oak Park, Yves Godwin of Detroit, Dr. James Guess of Hamilton, Ohio and Phillip Wadsworth of Fort Campbell, Ken.

The flower girl was Adewunmi Adedoyin. The ring bearer was Dominique Wadsworth of Flint. The pages were Jared Garrison

Janna McCollum Garrison of Southfield and Denise Ellis of and Jade Ellis, a nephew of the bride.

Following the ceremony, the newlyweds received guests at a brunch reception at the Detroit Roostertail.

The senior hostesses were Ollie Hill, Doreatha Armstrong, Shirley Brown, Betsy Butler, Elva Gamble, Alderen Solomon, Lynn Virgis, Odena Wadsworth and Andrea Young.

The junior hostesses were Valerie Austin, Christy Randles Darty, Swandolyn Jones, Tina Parkman and Cherry Pugh.

Ushers were Terry Godwin, Gerald Morris, Terry Morris, Harold Shanks and Haywood Wadsworth.

The hosts were Wilbur Brown, Vance Gamble, Dr. John Shelton and Dr. Watson Young.

The couple now makes their home in Aurora, Colo.

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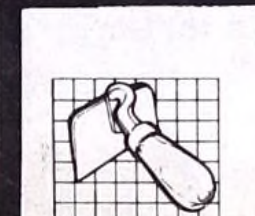
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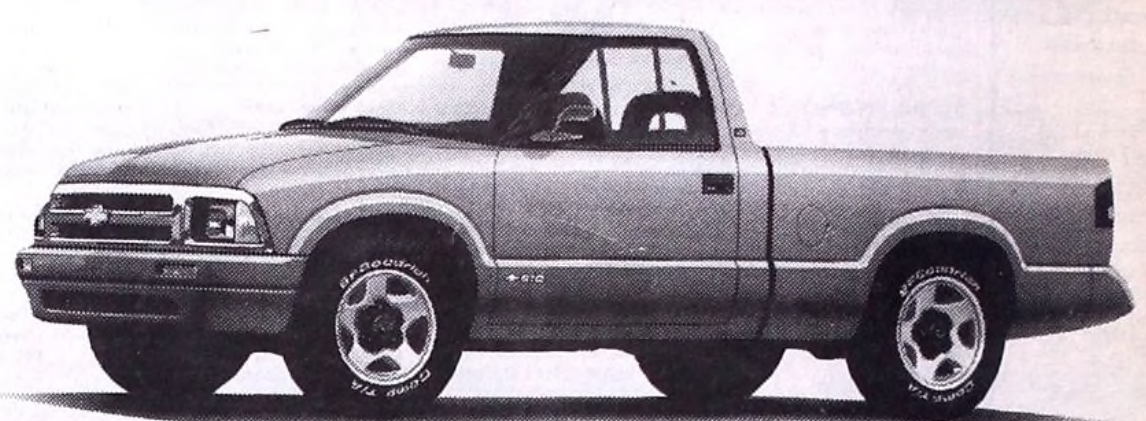
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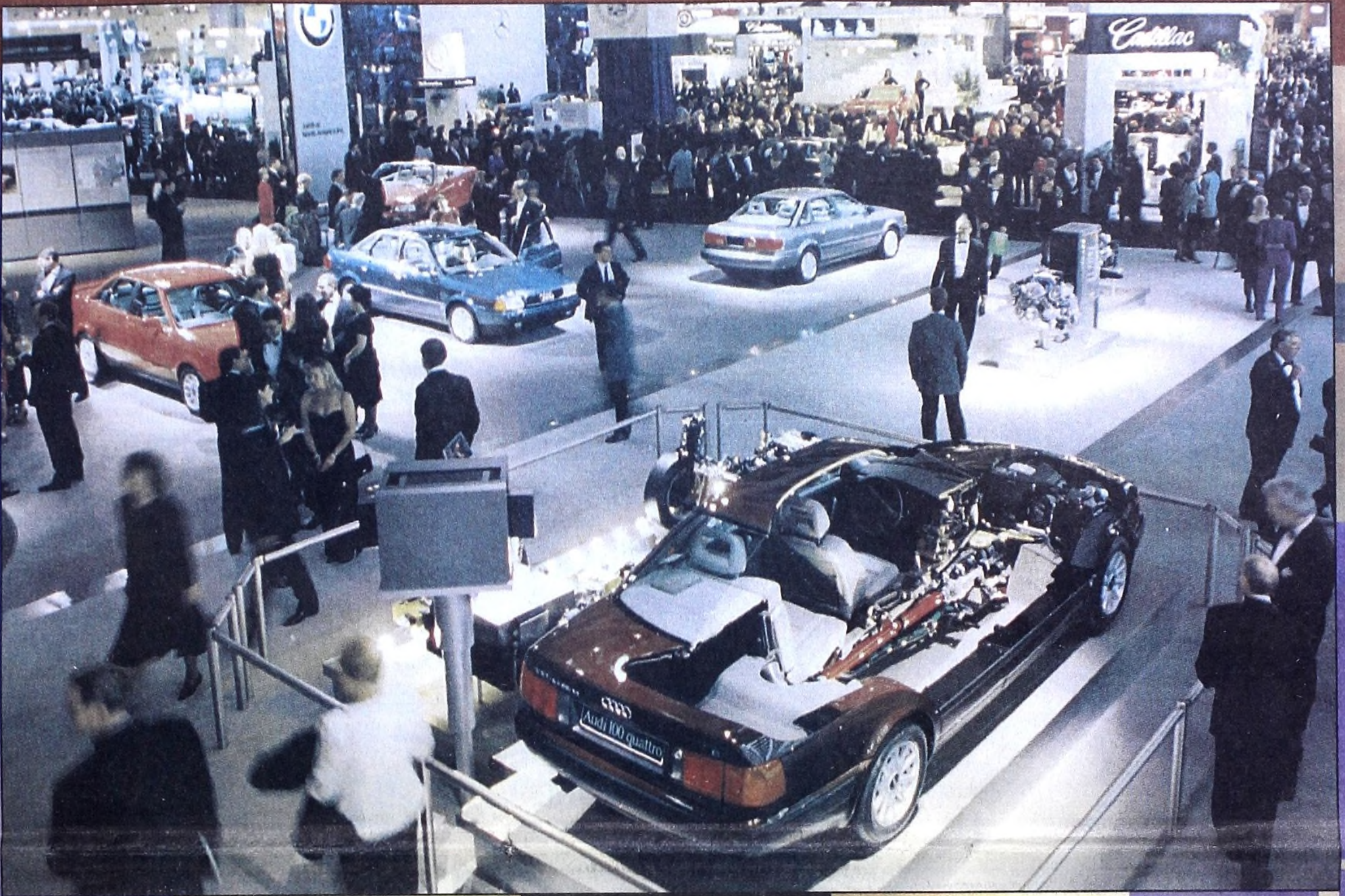
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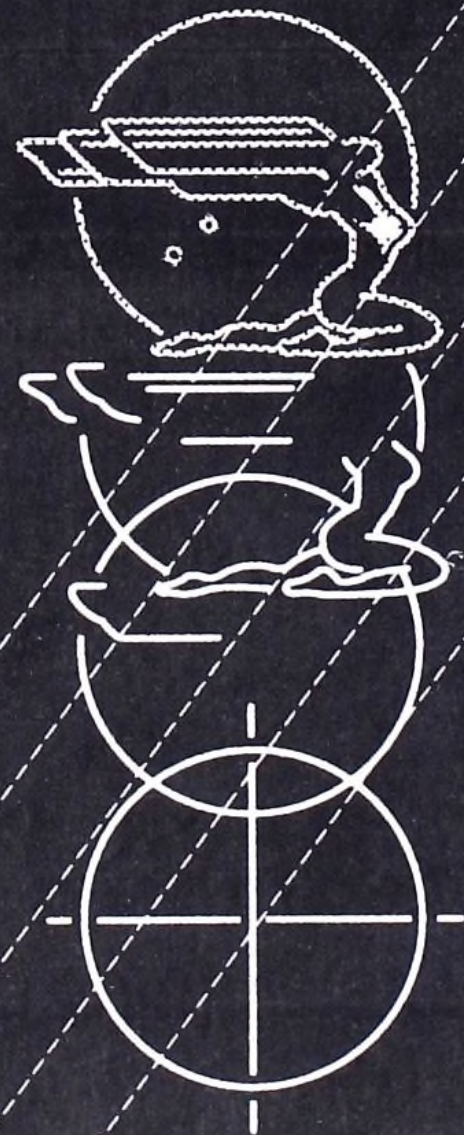
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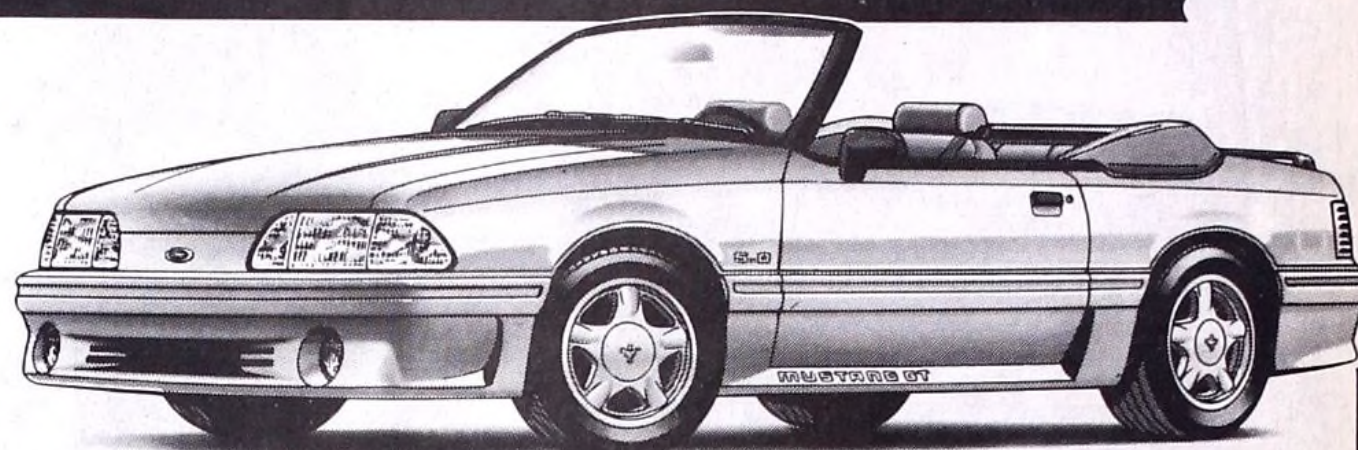
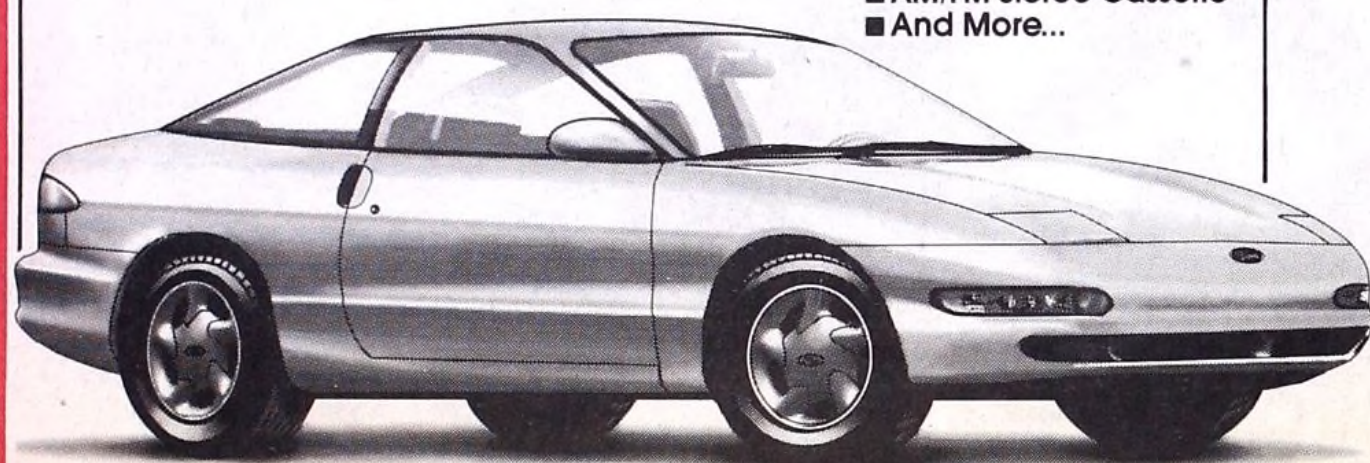
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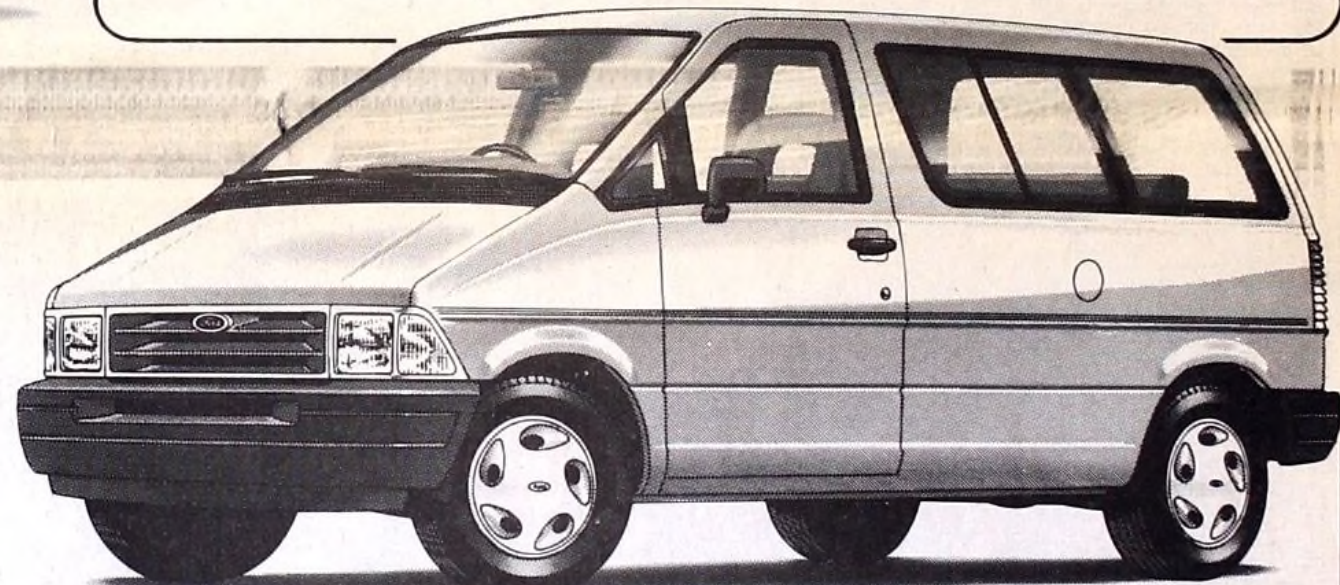
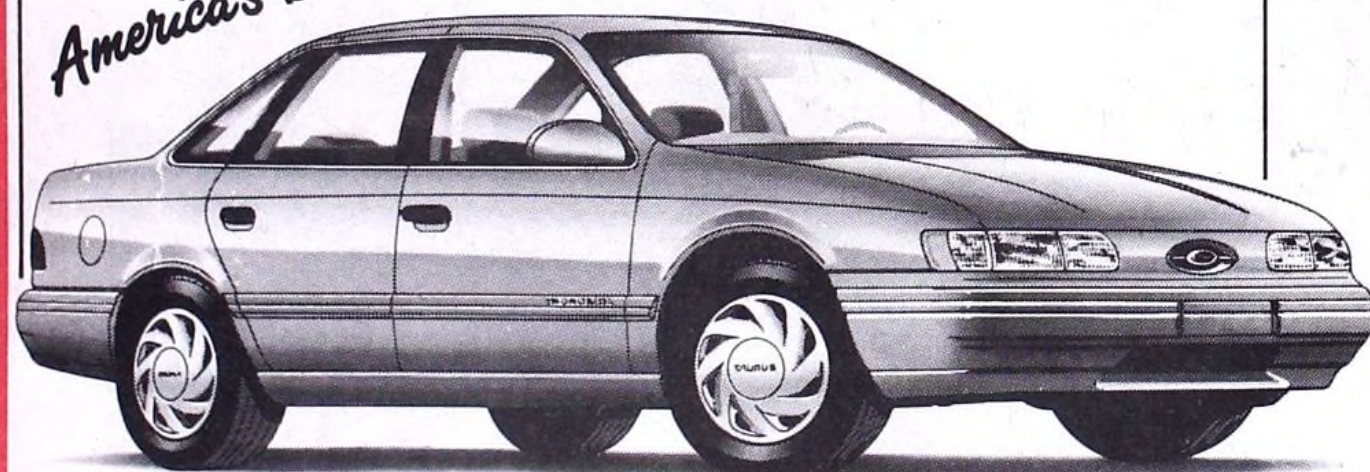
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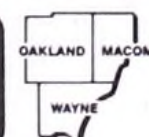
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New design

Riviera combines style and performance in re-design for 1995

By MARGO DEWEY
ANP Deputy News Editor

It's sleek, stylish and one of a kind.

The completely redesigned 1995 Buick Riviera will be unveiled at the North American International Auto Show Jan. 8-16 at Cobo Hall.

The Riviera is a high-styled personal luxury coupe with a spirited performance, spacious interior and world-class structure and strength for safety, comfort and quietness, according to John Rogin, owner of John Rogin Buick-Isuzu in Wayne, 3939 south Wayne Road.

"This car has become a collectible," Rogin said. "It's a classic automobile. The Riviera is priced thousands less than the Lexus Coupe, Mark VII and Eldorado."

Buick General Manager Edward H. Mertz described the new Riviera as, "a distinctly American car that combines the style and performance of a coupe with the comfort and roominess of a full-size sedan."

William L. Porter, Riviera exterior design chief, described the Riviera as the Buick style leader. He said the new model makes a statement that Buick is, "asserting itself as a forward-looking, progressive company with a sophisticated line of automobiles."

Styling is aerodynamic and striking. Porter describes the Riviera shape as muscular, well-balanced and modern-free from cues that quickly go out of style.

"Riviera has elliptical body forms with surfaces and curves that are ever changing," Porter said. "We see this as a car of beautiful body forms and highly energized surfaces."

Balance also describes the Riviera performance. The

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-William L. Porter

standard engine is the sophisticated new 3800 Series II V-6, which debuts in Riviera. The engine, the latest evolution in V-6 technology, provides excellent acceleration off the line (zero to 60 mph in 9.7 seconds) and strong performance for merging and passing.

It also delivers very good projected fuel economy (19 city/29 highway).

The optional supercharged 3800 V-6 delivers still quicker acceleration (zero to 60 in 8.5 seconds) and projected fuel economy of 17 city/27 highway.

In designing the body stiffness for Riviera, engineers used a natural frequency of 25 Hertz as a benchmark. That benchmark, which Riviera reached, was higher than for the top Lexus or Infiniti models, essentially matching the natural frequency of the 300-series Mercedes.

With the rigid body structure as a foundation, Riviera engineers designed new suspension and steering systems that provide a quiet, comfortable ride as well as precise, balanced handling.



The 1995 Buick Riviera is a high-styled personal luxury coupe with enhanced safety features and comfort. ANP Special Photo

The front suspension uses MacPherson struts and coil springs. The large L-shaped lower control arms have been designed to provide both good handling and road isolation. The rear suspension is a new semi-trailing arm design, which uses large cast-aluminum control arms, coil springs and shocks with air-leveling, making handling more predictable.

Riviera uses a new magnetic variable-assist steering system, developed by General Motors Saginaw Division.

It is a power-assist system that combines hydraulics, electronics and magnetics to offer continuously variable-effort steering. It provides an especially smooth transition

from high boost for ease of parking to minimum boost at highway speeds for improved road feel.

The Riviera suspension system proves that excellent handling and control don't necessarily mean a stiff, hard ride. Because of the attention paid to fundamentals such as suspension and steering geometry, Riviera rides comfortably, yet inspires confidence in the driver, even on the most challenging roads.

Customers may list styling as their number one reason for buying a personal luxury coupe, but safety is usually high on their list. The 1995 Riviera has a complete range of safety features.

The rigid body structure,

which contributes to the solid feel and predictable handling of the car, also forms a strong safety cage around the occupants.

Both the driver and front passengers are protected by standard air bags as well as three-point safety belts.

Anti-lock four-wheel disc brakes are standard on all Rivas. Also standard is the PASS-Key II theft-deterrent system, which permits the car to be started only if the proper key is used.

Perhaps most important, the engine, suspension, steering and brakes of the Riviera have all been designed to give the driver a sense of confidence and control during everyday driving and to respond

predictably in emergency maneuvers.

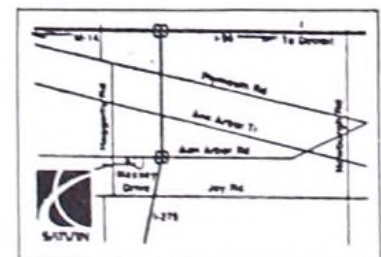
Rogin said there will not be a limited number of the Riviera produced. He said Buick intends to make them as they are in demand.

"We believe, as in the past, that the Riviera will be the car an owner can be proud of for years to come," Rogin said. "I expect to have the Riviera at the dealership in March or April."

The new Riviera was developed by a team of engineers, designers and other professionals from Buick and from the Cadillac/Luxury Car Engineering and Manufacturing Division in Flint. It will be manufactured at the Orion Assembly Center near Pontiac.

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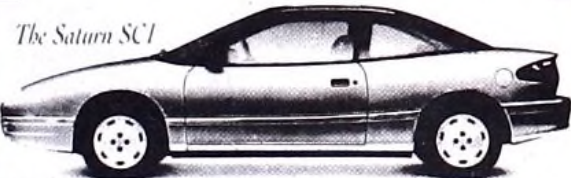


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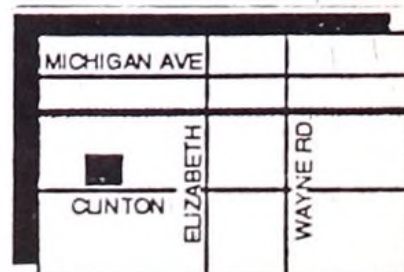
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1994 Grand Am features remote keyless entry

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

The stylish new 1994 Grand Am will continue to be one of the hottest selling cars on the American market, Nick Wang, sales manager of Suburban Pontiac-Cadillac Inc. of Ypsilanti stated.

A new feeling of excitement is evident today in the American car market, Wang said, because, "We feel the national economy has turned the corner and car owners are willing to part with their money to purchase quality American-made vehicles."

The new full line of Pontiac cars stress safety, comfort, convenience and anti-theft features for the new model year, Wang said, and the fact that the Grand Am is manufactured in Lansing adds state pride to the package.

The latest Grand Ams feature driver-side airbags, exit lighting, automatic door locks and remote keyless entry.

For those looking for sporty new models that are still fun to drive, the exciting new Grand Prix SE Coupe and Sedan offer styling, safety and value features comparable or better than many other vehicles on the road today.

A higher performance and more fuel efficient V8 engine, newly-styled "Special Edition Coupe" package and design changes for reduced noise and vibration are also included in 1994 improvements.

"The exterior, interior and functional improvements we've made on the Grand Prix in 1994 continue the tradition of dynamic looks, high performance and safety our mid size customers have come to expect in a Pontiac," Pontiac General Manager John G. Middlebrook, stressed.

The SE Sedan hold a price advantage over comparable domestic and foreign models and features dual airbags, power windows, power door

locks, tilt wheel steering column, controlled-cycle windshield wipers and Pass-Key II theft deterrent systems.

The SE Coupe features leather-wrapped steering wheels with radio controls, cruise control, power outside rearview mirrors, remote deck

lid release and rear window defogger.

The Pass Key II device is a major feature to cut into area vehicle theft ratios and to provide local car owners more peace of mind, as it blocks starting cars with broken columns (a key practice in most car

thefts today).

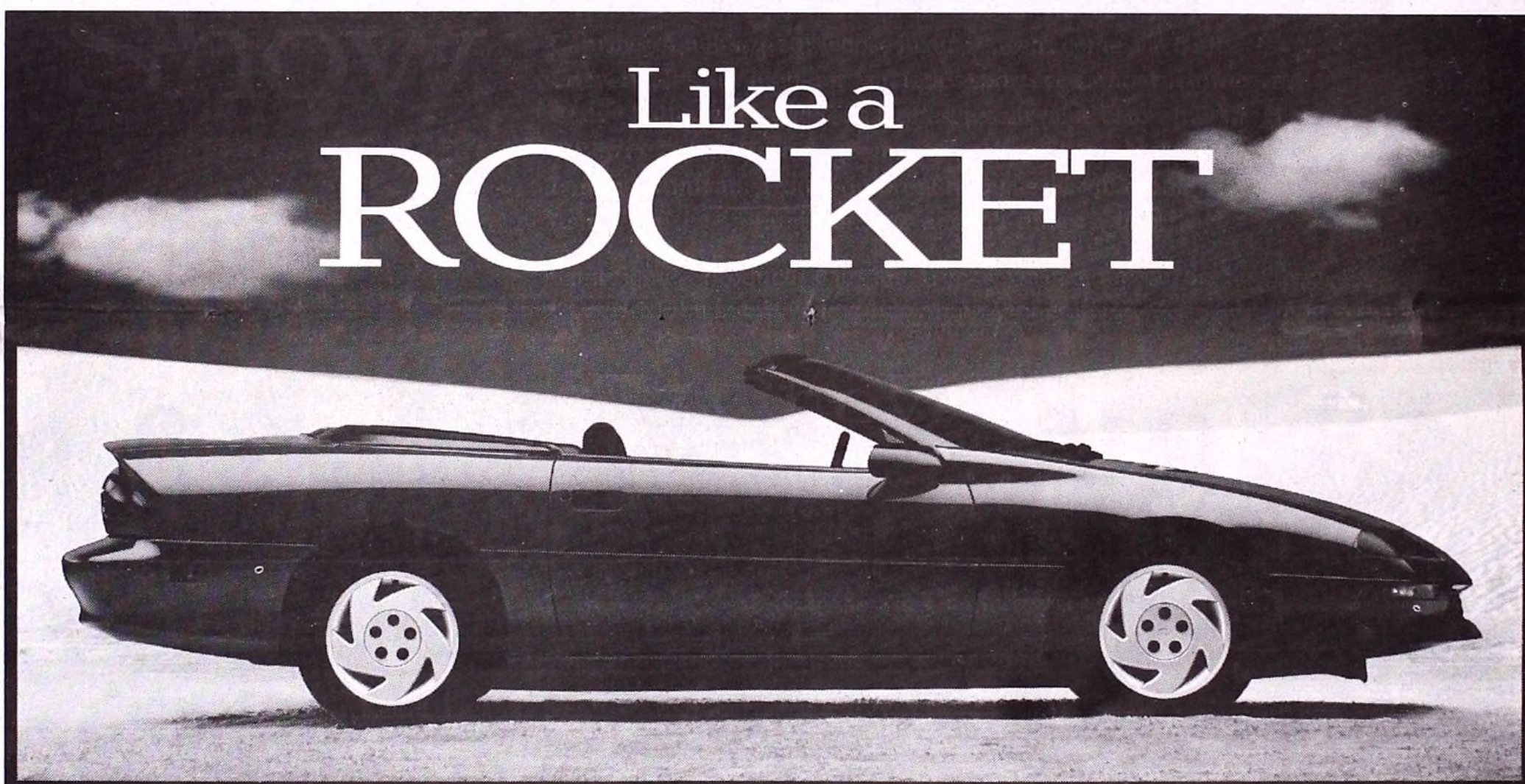
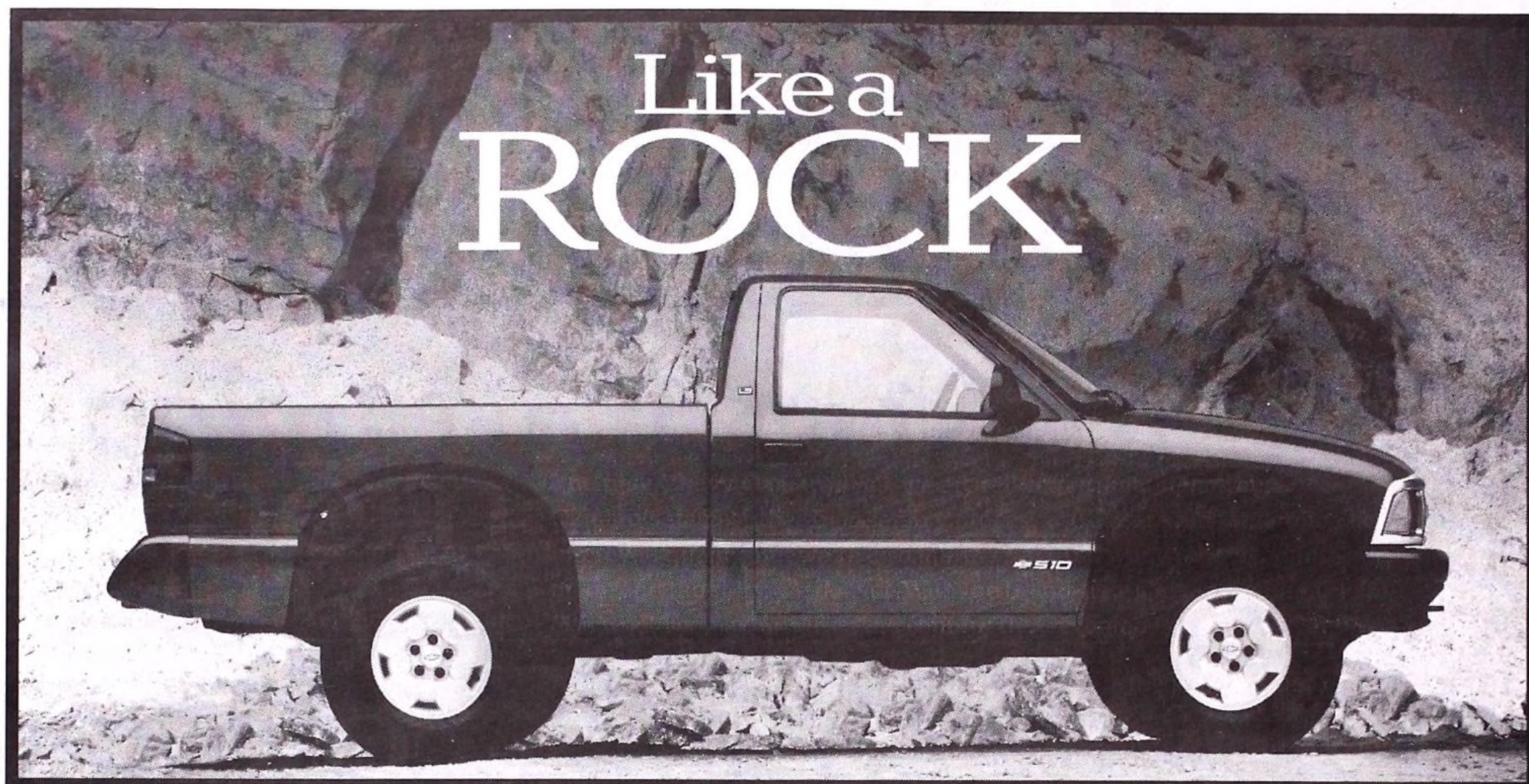
Wang also revealed that all the new Buicks for 1994 are aggressively priced, with the Park Avenue priced \$4,000 less than 1993.

Buick is trying to give the car owner "more bang for his buck" in 1994, Wang said.

GMC Trucks continue to be very popular with many economy minded families, Wang said. The totally remodeled pickup Sonoma models are among the leaders, as the pickup trucks today remain the "fastest growing vehicle in the market."

Suburban Pontiac-Cadillac Inc. is located at 15 E. Michigan Ave., Ypsilanti.

The sales offices are open from 8:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday and Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays.



Auto show to attract thousands

Yes, new vehicle introductions are exciting, and the debuts of futuristic concept cars are interesting but what draws more than 600,000 people to the North American International Auto Show every year are the cars and trucks they can buy in dealer showrooms today.

The 600,000 square feet of floor space within Detroit's Cobo Hall is occupied by virtually every kind of car and truck available for sale in the United States. This year Cobo will house about 750 production vehicles.

For the person shopping for a new car or truck, the NAIAS provides a way to see them all and compare. In fact, it is the broad representation of vehicles that draws the public to the show. In 1993, public attendance for the eight-day show totaled 626,000, the third largest crowd in Detroit auto show's 80 plus years. The 1993 show saw the largest single-day attendance in show history on Saturday, Jan. 16 with 134,166 show-goers.

Surveys show that people who come to the show usually buy a vehicle during the year. The show is the catalyst to kicking off the new year for the Detroit area's 260 dealers.

The following are some highlights of the latest production vehicles that will be on display at the 1994 NAIAS. Many of them made their worldwide or North American debuts at last year's auto show.

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CHRYSLER New Yorker/LHS: New Yorker and LHS, introduced last spring as 1994 models, are bigger, more expensive ver-

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ASSOCIATED NEWSPAPERS

1995 Aurora represents 'the new' Oldsmobile

The newly created Oldsmobile Aurora will probably be one of the most discussed new cars at the 1994 North American International Auto Show at the Cobo Conference and Exhibition Center this week, Roy Dotson, sales manager, of Bill Rowan Oldsmobile and Cadillac, predicted.

The Aurora was kept under wraps like in the old days, Dotson said, and will be in showrooms later this month. "In fact we only received brochures featuring the Aurora several weeks ago," Dotson continued, "and so far it has opened to a very positive response among our customers."

"The Aurora model is really the symbol of the new Oldsmobile, representing how we intend to sell our products and take care of our customers," John D. Rock, Oldsmobile Division general chairman, revealed last week.

The first-time showing revealed that the Aurora has that luxury look featuring comfort and style. "It is very impressive looking," Dotson said, "with all leather interiors and

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The Aurora model is really the symbol of the new Oldsmobile, representing how we intend to sell our products and take care of our customers.

- John D. Rock

all the latest gadgets. It is prime viewing for all professionals from those in the 20's on up."

For the long term Oldsmobile owner, Dotson said, the 1994 Bravada is the most versatile of the Oldsmobile models with the poise to take on any road and the panache to do so in style."

A 200-horsepower engine, an electronically controlled four-speed automatic transmission, and SmartTrak are standard equipment, he said, and the Bravada has lost none of its ruggedness.

"Thanks to a quieter engine, a more effective muffler and a new shock absorber valving aimed at improved ride characteristics, the 1994 Bravada makes for a unique driving experience," Dotson said.

"Bravada also offers Oldsmobile customers the sure-footed confidence and control needed to move through the muddiest trails or the rain-slickened highways," he continued.

Meanwhile the 1994 Cutlass Supreme remains a favorite of Oldsmobile owners with its diverse line of automobiles (with three body-styles), two trim levels and two polished powertrains.

In response to the growing demand for advanced safety features, all Cutlass Supremes are now equipped with a driver's side air bag and anti-lock brakes.

Automatic door locks, introduced last year, have been greatly improved, Dotson said.

Standard on all Cutlass Supremes are tilt-steering wheel, pulse wipers, Pass-Key vehicle security systems, rear window



The 1995 Aurora has a luxury look featuring comfort and style. A 200-horsepower engine and electronically controlled four-speed automatic transmission are standard equipment. ANP Special Photo

defogger, inside day-night mirror with dual reading lamps and trunk lamps.

Thus the 1994 Cutlass Supreme is still that ideal blend of practicality with a love-of-

the-road personality.

In addition, Dotson said, Bill Rowan Oldsmobile and Cadillac has seen a sure sign that the U.S. economy is on the rebound by a record breaking

sales month of December for the Cadillac Seville models.

"The 32-valve engine with 290 horsepower gives today's motorist good mileage and quality performance."

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sions of its LH line. The luxury cars made their debut at the 1993 NAIAS and have been strong sellers for Chrysler.

DODGE

Ramp Pickup: The Dodge Ram pickup, with its distinctively macho appearance, is expected to boost sales three-fold over the older version. So far, it's off to a strong start since its fall introduction. The Ram made a dramatic worldwide debut at the 1993 NAIAS.

Ford

Mustang: The new Mustang, which goes on sale in December, is the first major re-design of this American classic since 1979. The interior and exterior are new with styling cues reminiscent of the 1960s iteration. Though the Mustang keeps its current V-8 engine, the base engine becomes a V-6 instead for a four-cylinder. A convertible, the first to be factory installed since the early 1970s, will be available out of the chute and can be ordered with a removable hardtop for owners in the Snowbelt.

General Motors

Cadillac: The best-selling luxury car in the United States, the Cadillac DeVille, is replaced for 1994. The new version shares the Seville's chassis and suspension. The DeVille is vitally important to Cadillac as it is its highest-volume model. The Coupe DeVille was dropped after the 1993 model year and a Northstar-powered Concours version is added for 1994.

Chevrolet and GMC have new compact pickup trucks for 1994. The Chevrolet S-10 pickup and the GMC Jimmy have been completely revised inside, outside and under the hood. The small trucks represent significant volume for GM.

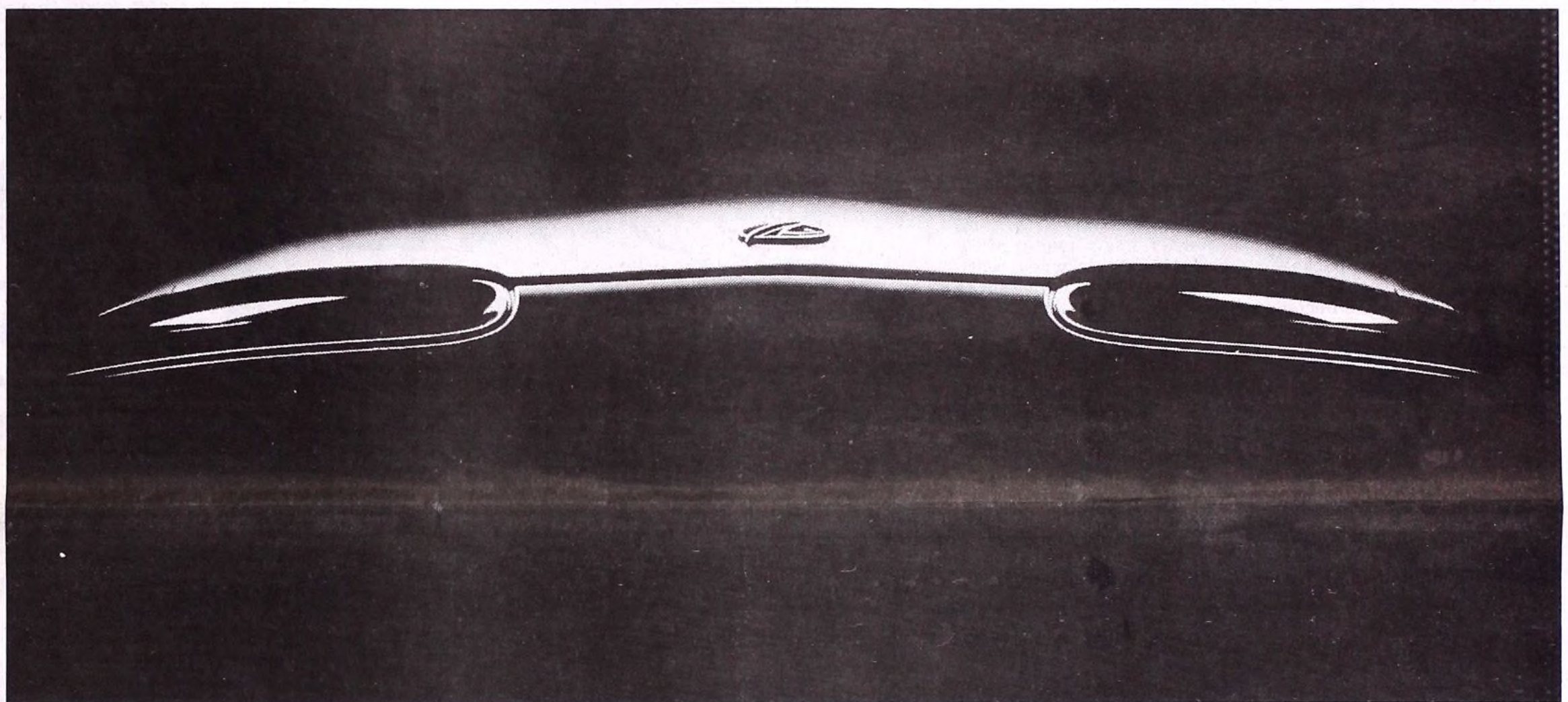
Honda

ACCURA

Integra: The new Acura Integra for 1994 is brand new, inside and out. The new Integra is the third-generation version of the Integra, which has been in the U.S. market since Acura became a nameplate eight years ago. A performance version, the GS-R, was added to the line.

HONDA

Accord: Honda has introduced a new Accord coupe and sedan for 1994. The new Accord is the most important product for Honda, as it is its volume leader and was the second best-selling car in the United States in 1992 and throughout 1993. The design of the new Accord is completely new, equipment has been added and engine improvements were made, yet the base price is the same or minimally higher than on the 1993 version.



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Ford announces safety features

By MARGO DEWEY
ANP Deputy News Editor

Car buyers looking for design, safety and comfort in a vehicle without the expensive price tag, can now find outstanding value with the new 1994 Ford line-up which includes the Escort and Probe.

A driver and right-front passenger air bag supplemental restraint system is now standard equipment on most Ford cars, according to Michael Mester, sales consultant for Jack Demmer Ford in Wayne, 37300 west Michigan Ave.

Quality, performance and the "One-Price" plan make the 1994 Ford Escort the small-car value leader.

"The Escort has new color-keyed bodyside moldings and door handles," Mester said. "There is also a new interior which has been freshened with new colors and style."

About 90 percent of Escort buyers have used the One Price plan since the introduction of the system. Under the program customers can buy a LX three-, four-, five-door or wagon at the same manufacturer's suggested retail price.

The One Price Escorts are well-equipped. They have an air conditioning system free of chlorofluorocarbons, an AM/FM stereo radio, dual electric remote mirrors and other convenient features contained in a special equipment package.

For 1994, 14-inch wheels and new wheel covers become standard on the wagon and optional on three-and-five-door LX models. The larger wheels and tires provide improved traction and handling.

The sporty Escort GT is freshened for 1994 with new aluminum 15-inch wheels and a leather wrapped steering wheel. New GT options include an anti-lock braking system and a dazzling Sunrise Red exterior/interior package.

"The cost for an Escort this year is anywhere between

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\$11,000 and \$13,000," Mester said.

The stand out Probe styling, performance and handling have earned it the praise of car buffs and citations from leading auto publications, including Motor Trend's 1992 Car of the Year award for Probe GT.

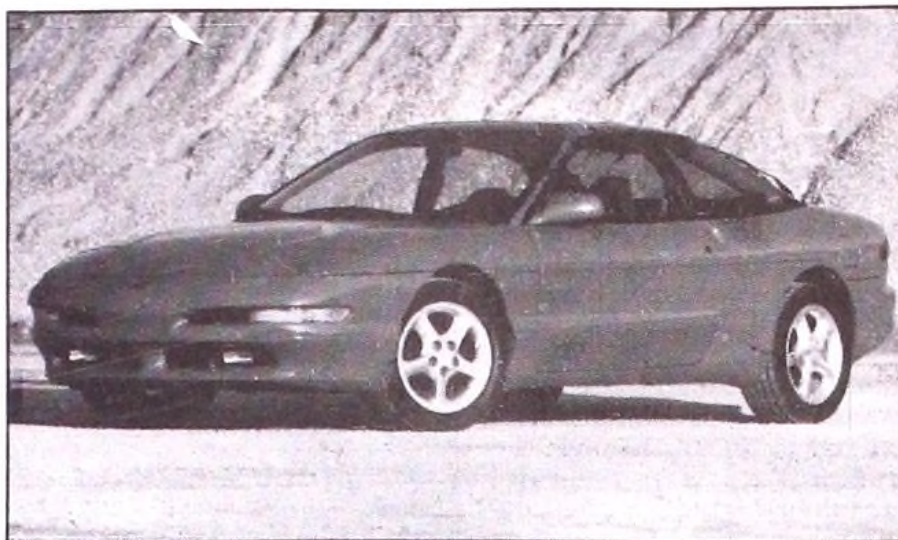
The 1994 Probe maintains all of those winning attributes and adds as standard equipment a front passenger air bag supplemental restraint system and an air conditioning system free of chlorofluorocarbons, the substance believed to deplete the earth's protective ozone layers.

"There are new colors this year including a Coral Mist and Wild Orchid," Mester said.

The standard Probe has a 118-h.p. 2.0-liter 4V four-cylinder engine with double overhead camshafts. The Probe GT has a twin-cam 24-valve V-6 engine whose cast-aluminum block and cylinder heads generate 164 h.p.

The GT also has sport suspension, power four-wheel disc brakes and front and rear stabilizer bars. Increasing its aggressive appearance is a sporty rear fascia and front fascia with rectangular fog lamps.

Anyone interested in looking through the new models can visit Jack Demmer Ford 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday and Thursday and 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.



All Ford vehicles for 1994 have a driver and right-front passenger air bag supplemental restraint system. ANP Special Photo



Dealership boasts increased sales

By JENNIFER PLACINTO
ANP Staff Writer

Americans will be buying American made cars in 1994 predicts Briarwood Ford co-owner Bob MacKenzie.

Economically, MacKenzie said, 1994 will be good for both the auto industry and retail sales. American made cars, MacKenzie said, will continue to increase in sales in comparison to foreign vehicles.

"I think we'll continue to gain market share for the auto industry. Ford saw an overall increase in 1993," MacKenzie said.

Due to the increased value of the Japanese Yen, foreign models are becoming more expensive. The price increase, coupled with the improvements in quality of American automobiles, MacKenzie said, will lead to an increase in American auto sales.

"It's not like it was six or seven years ago when foreign made vehicles were considered to be better made than

American," MacKenzie said. New car buyers looking for a great Ford trucks are rushing in to buy Ford Explorers, according to Briarwood Ford co-owner MacKenzie.

"Explorers are tremendously high volume vehicles. They're one of our best sellers," MacKenzie said.

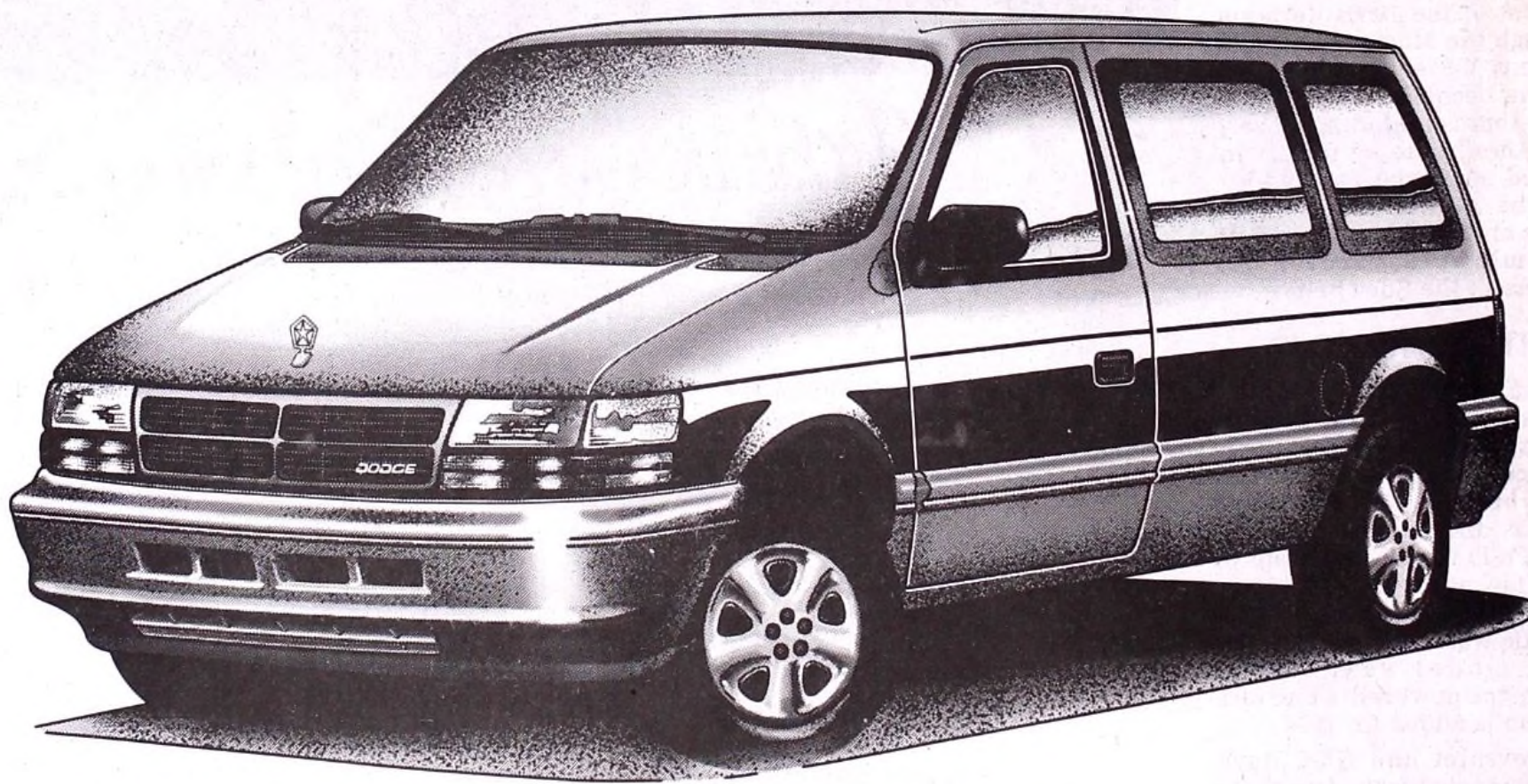
MacKenzie said F Series Pickup trucks and Ford Rangers are also top sellers. All three trucks have the added feature of airbags and come in new bright reds, blues and greens.

"The F Series Pick-up has been the number one selling vehicle in the country for the last 17 years," MacKenzie added.

Ford Aerostar minivans also continue to be a very popular selling vehicle and, MacKenzie said, Ford will be expanding on the model with the front wheel drive 1995 Windstar.

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Longtime western Wayne County residents know the name "Atchinson" well.

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The dealership, located on Belleville Road across from the Meijer super market, has served area customers and their sons and daughters for several decades.

Customer loyalty is strong with those who purchase their cars from Atchinson Ford.

Recently, one customer reported that he had purchased his fourth Ford from Atchinson. Another customer revealed that he and his wife had purchased six Mustangs from Atchinson - the first in 1965

and the latest in 1993.

With many Ford plants located in western Wayne and Washtenaw counties, the area has been dubbed "Ford Country," resulting in many auto factory employees seeking to purchase the cars that they helped to manufacture.

Customers from all walks of life look to established, reliable dealers like Atchinson Ford when they make their purchases, according to their customers.

The Atchinsons see the new Mustang as a big drawing card for the dealership, and report a great deal of customer interest in the newly styled Mustang.

With the economy on an upturn and confidence in the economy rising, Atchinson sees bright days ahead for new car sales.

Law officials predict banner auto sales

By LAURIE HUMPHREY
ANP Staff Writer

The onset of the new year has one local business owner very optimistic.

Vincent Law, owner of Law Auto Sales on Michigan Avenue between Merriman and Venoy, said, "Business has been very good. Between 20 and 30 people come onto the lot every day."

Selling both foreign and domestic vehicles, Law Auto Sales originated 55 years ago on Livernois in Detroit. "We moved to our current location 10 years ago," he said.

Maintaining an average of 60 vehicles on his lot, Law noticed a recent trend. "We have been selling a lot more American cars than foreign cars

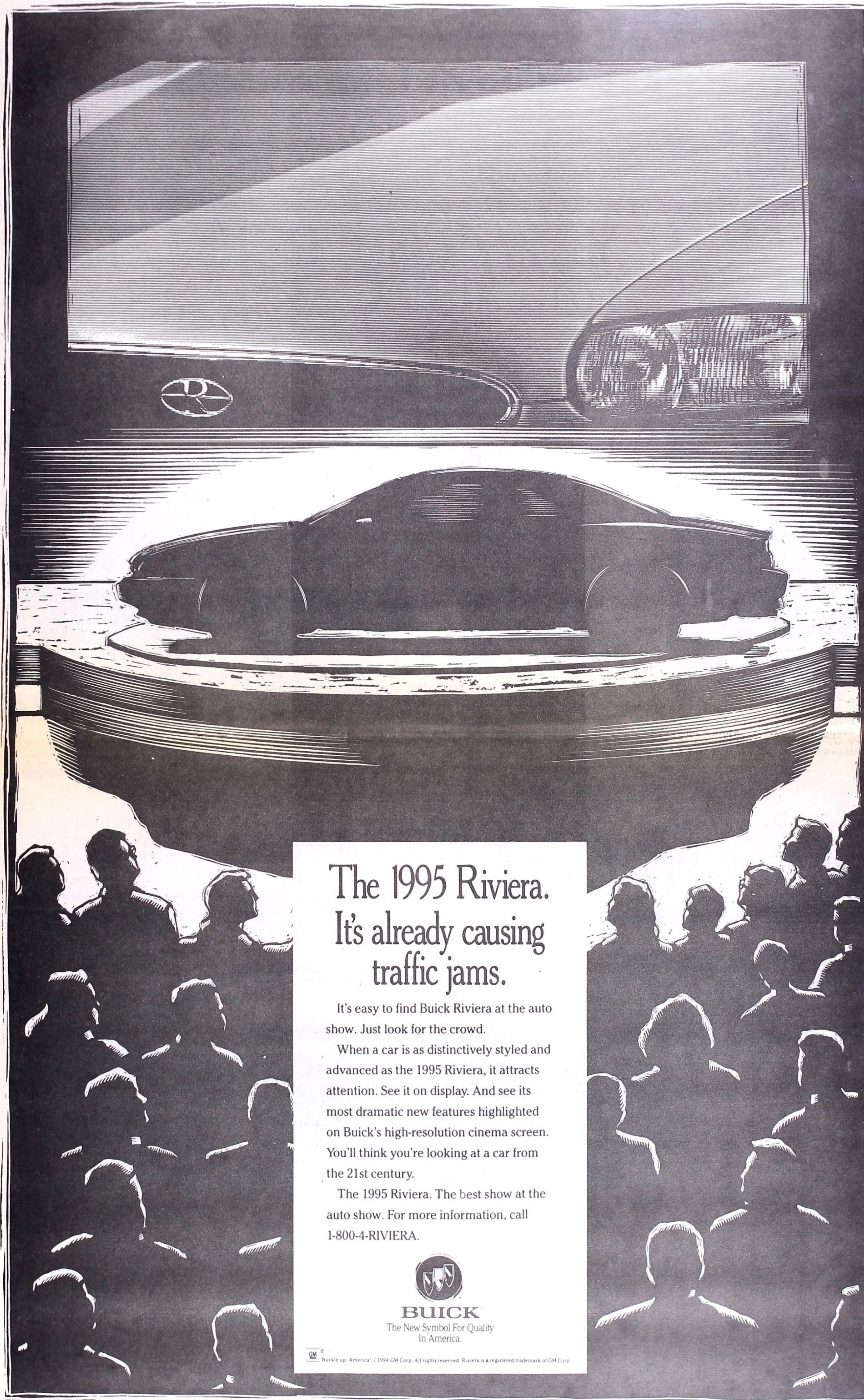
lately," said the car owner, "Escorts are selling real good."

Younger drivers are the predominant customers at Law Auto Sales reported Law. Spending between \$5 - 6,000, customers look at how many miles the vehicle has, whether the vehicle has an automatic or standard transmission and the condition of the tires.

"We fix up our cars pretty good," said Law, "so they get a good deal."

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Concept cars to shine at International Show

Automakers have used the North American International Auto Show (NAIAS) to dazzle the audience with futurist vehicles or to offer a glimpse of a future production vehicle to gauge public reaction.

The 1994 NAIAS has a long list of concept vehicles being introduced to the world or in North America for the first time which may find their ways on the highways of the U.S., the streets of Tokyo or the Autobahn of Germany.

ASC Inc.

ASC Inc. of Southgate, Mich. unveils to the world four new concept vehicles which highlight the company's trim engineering, drivetrain enhancement and open-air capability.

ASC Chevrolet S-10 SS: The ASC Chevrolet S-10 SS is an extended cab pickup with a removable targa panel. The concept vehicle is based on Chevrolet's new small pickup truck, redesigned for the 1994 model year.

ASC Chrysler 300: The ASC Chrysler 300 is a derivative of the popular LHS model with complete ground effects and an open-air package. Chrysler introduced the LHS, along with the New Yorker, last spring as 1994 models.

ASC Crown Victoria LSS: The ASC Crown Victoria LSS is an aggressive grand touring approach to this full-size vehicle. Its interior and exterior design is built around an enhanced drivetrain.

ASC Charisma: ASC is saving details on its Charisma concept vehicle for the show.

Audi

ASF concept car: Audi's Space Frame (ASF) Concept Car will make its North American debut at the 1994 NAIAS.

The all-aluminum car body is based on revolutionary technology: both the main structure (the space frame itself) and the stressed body panels are made entirely of aluminum. The aluminum significantly reduces body weight and fuel consumption. The aluminum space frame has performed well in crash tests.

The ASF is environmentally friendly because the aluminum can be recycled and because of the vehicle's engine. The ASF is powered by a new 3.4-liter V8 direct-injection turbo-diesel engine. The engine is a study which could go into production in response to certain environmental situations that could arise in the future.

Audi believes the combination of the engine and aluminum body is an example of a good-sense alternative in the luxury car sector for good fuel economy along with generous accommodations and comfort for passengers, high levels of safety and good road performance.

BMW

BMW displays for the first time in North America two concept vehicles, the E1 and Z13. Both represent BMW's thinking regarding future issues like traffic congestion and the environment.

E1: The E1 was developed to be a small, safe and environmentally friendly city car. It can be equipped with an internal combustion engine, an electric power train or a hybrid with both drive systems combined. It is built on an aluminum frame with panels of both aluminum and recyclable plastic. BMW has said the E1 has a good chance of being produced in the future.

Z13: The Z13 is an extremely compact three-seater concept car with the engine in a rear-midship arrangement. It is rear-wheel drive, typical of a BMW. Its cockpit is like a single-seater racing car; the driver sits in the middle and passengers sit in full-sized seats, half of them next to the driver and the other half behind. The Z13 also has an aluminum frame and body.

The Z13 is driven by a water-cooled 1100-cc straight-four power engine fitted crosswise in front of the rear axle. It is estimated the vehicle could achieve 47 to 56 miles per gallon. The Z13 includes numerous high-tech features.

Chrysler Corp.

New Chrysler concept cars, which are making their worldwide debut at the 1994 NAIAS, are a graphic example of the flexibility of the company's

new Neon platform and suggest the future direction of the company.

The Venom, Espresso and Aviat showcase the Neon's ability to be the basis for a wide-range of exciting small vehicles. Each concept car not

only shares the Neon's platform but also its fun-to-drive performance, innovative design, environmental sensitivity and Chrysler's "dare to be different" attitude. Yet each has its own unique personality.

Aviat: The Aviat combines

aerospace technology with world-class dynamic attributes to redefine the sports coupe for the 21st century. The overall footprint of the sleek, all-aluminum Aviat is very close to the Neon, but the rear seat is about the same width as a

LeBaron convertible.

The Aviat is powered by the Neon's 2.0-liter engine, but the cooling modules have been repositioned to the back to reduce drag. The final Aviat 3/8-inch scale model tested at the Chrysler Technology Center.

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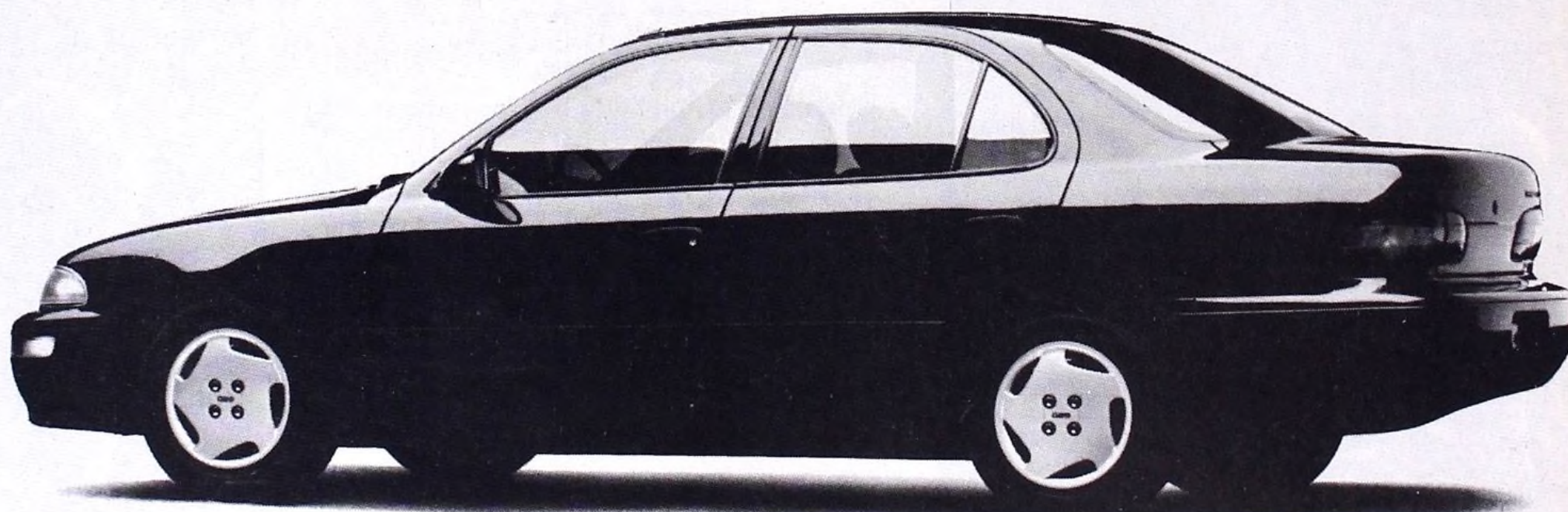
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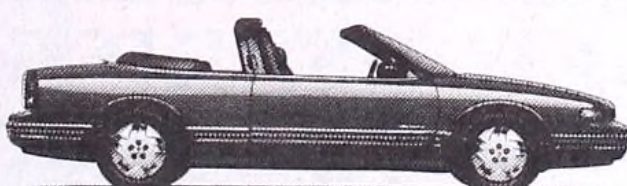
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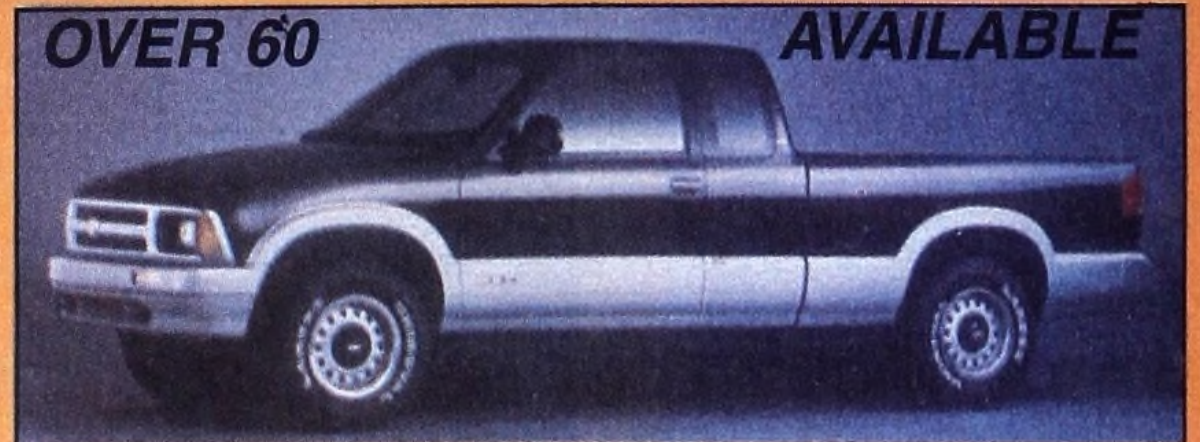
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Quote of the Week

"I think an end is coming to the 'them versus us' feeling that the former Detroit mayor had exhibited. The wall that was constructed 20 years ago has fallen." Van Buren Township Supervisor David Jakes commented after a recent meeting with newly elected Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer.

Of Note

Sumpter man, 73, homicide victim

Police are continuing to investigate the death of Isaiah Dixon, 73, of Sumpter Township, whose body was found by relatives on Dec. 26.

Dixon, who lived alone in the 46000 block of Willow Road, was last seen five days earlier when he reported a lost dog to Sumpter Township police.

Investigators are trying to determine whether anyone saw Dixon after that date.

Michigan State Police are assisting Sumpter Township police in the investigation, and no details of the homicide have been released by them.

Teen accused of abusing infant

A 17-year-old Westland man has been arraigned on charges of first-degree felony child abuse after he allegedly shook a 1-year-old infant for approximately five minutes causing permanent paralysis on the right side of the child's body, Westland police Sgt. Laura Moore said.

Brian Spencer Sant was arraigned out of county on Jan. 3 and faces a preliminary examination on the charge Jan. 13 in Westland 18th District Court. If convicted, Sant could be sentenced up to 15 years in prison.

Moore referred to this act as the shaken baby syndrome and said the consequences could have been much worse.

"Normally children die from this," Moore said.

Moore said the foster child, was one of six children Sant was babysitting that day. Sant, a friend of the family, babysat for the children for approximately a year and a half prior to the alleged incident, Moore said.

Moore said Sant admitted to shaking the child for 5 minutes after becoming frustrated with the 1-year-old with whom he was playing. The foster child was diagnosed with epilepsy, asthma and was born drug-addicted, Moore added.

Friend of the Court hearings scheduled

Among the eight hearings to be conducted on the operation of the Friend of the Court offices in Michigan is a 1 to 6 p.m. Jan. 15 hearing at the Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile in Livonia.

The hearings are scheduled throughout the state to hear testimony from both employees of the Friends of the Court and individuals who use the court service.

"As a member of the State Family Law Committee, I have received numerous requests for the legislature to take a look at the Friend of the Court system, and determine if any revisions need to be made," said Robert Geake, R-Northville. "In general, the Friend of the Court performs well under tough conditions, but problems do exist. These hearings are intended to allow individuals who utilize the Friend of the Court to share their experiences with the subcommittee and make suggestions."

Each circuit court in Michigan has at least one Friend of the Court office.

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Husband knocks wife from moving van

By JENNIFER PLACINTO
ANP Staff Writer

A 39-year-old Westland man charged with leaving the scene of a personal injury accident after allegedly causing his wife to be thrown from the van he was driving, had his preliminary examination postponed until Feb. 3 so further witnesses could be called and the admissibility of the wife's testimony, under the spousal privilege, could be determined.

John Francis McCarthy Jr.'s 44-year-old wife, Darcie McCarthy, was hanging on the side of the van her husband was driving when he stopped, allegedly throwing her from the vehicle.

Darcie McCarthy remained in a coma for two to three weeks attached to a respirator at Garden City Hospital and may have suffered some brain damage, according to Westland police Sgt. Donald Haigh.

McCarthy, who was released on a \$5,000 personal bond, could face up to five years in prison if convicted of the offense.

Although Darcie McCarthy gave testimony which would implicate her husband in the incident and despite a police statement from McCarthy allegedly admitting he stopped to get his wife off the van and then fled the scene, Darcie McCarthy still lives with her husband and does not want him to be charged with the crime.

McCarthy said.

Haigh said he spoke with the wife and husband at their home on Oct. 18, at which time the husband admitted to causing the injuries.

Haigh had McCarthy fill out a four-page statement in which McCarthy said his wife, who was allegedly drunk at the time, woke him up and started to argue with him.

"I saw her drink a fifth and half of another vodka," McCarthy's statement said.

McCarthy allegedly told police he decided to drive off in order to avoid the argument. According to the statement, Haigh said, McCarthy admitted to knowing his wife was hanging on the side of the van from the moment he backed out of the driveway and said he was trying to get her off the 1988 Aerostar van by stopping.

"She fell off and whacked her head on the ground. She cracked her head pretty good," according to the statement.

"I checked and her eyes were closed and she had no response," McCarthy's statement said.

McCarthy said he drove around the corner and saw an ambulance coming toward his wife, so he came back home, got a few personal belongings and left out the back way to go to a friend's home in Plymouth.

"I don't remember anything after that," Darcie

Mother Nature christens winter

By MARGO DEWEY
Deputy News Editor

It's that sticky, wet, cold stuff many Michigan residents believed wouldn't hit the area after having a month of temperatures in the 30s and 40s.

But, as always, Mother Nature has a mind of her own, and on Jan. 6 area residents once again became acquainted with her fury as more than 7 inches of snow blanketed inner streets and highways.

Various media reports throughout the day predicted 3 to 8 inches of snow in many communities.

When the winter storm finally halted for a few brief hours in the evening, Detroit city officials stated they had 10 inches on the ground, Livonia area had 8 inches and the western Wayne County area had an average of 7 inches of snow.

Many residents pulled out their snow blowers while others teamed up with shovels in hand to clear the wet blanket from driveways and sidewalks.

Various communities called for a snow emergency due to not being able to plow fast enough before another inch or two of snow hit the ground.

Vehicle accidents on the highways piled up as well as in the inner streets. Romulus police officials reported having at least eight accidents and expected to have another three to five by Friday morning. No major injuries occurred.

Wayne and Westland police departments each reported five accidents in the communities with no serious injuries.

At the Metropolitan Airport in Romulus, airport officials were busy with de-icing planes and clearing runways. A handful of departures and arrivals were delayed due to the storm.

School buses had a slight delay picking up children in the Wayne-Westland District with the slippery mess on the roads, however, everyone was returned home safely.

The only schools in the area which closed Friday were in the Romulus district.



Residents in the local area including Virginia Odom (right) and Jennie Odom from Belleville found it took more than one person to shovel the heavy snow off the sidewalks and driveways. ANP photo by Ken Garner

Inkster police apprehend second murder suspect

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

The second suspect in the shooting death of a 27-year-old Grosse Ile man was arrested Thursday by a team of law enforcement personnel.

Jamie Huggins, 17, of Inkster, was taken into police custody at an Inkster house where police said he had been hiding.

Huggins did not resist when placed under arrest. He is charged with felony murder in the Dec. 18 slaying of Dennis Niebrzydowski. He also is charged with armed robbery and possession of a firearm during the commission of a felony.

Huggins and Eric Lawson, 21, of Detroit allegedly killed Niebrzydowski after the victim attempted to buy crack cocaine from them, according to Inkster police.

"The victim was in a 1993 Lincoln," said Detective James Vergona. "The killers wanted the vehicle and the victim refused to give it up. They shot him."

"... interviews and witnesses helped break this case."

Detective James Vergona

Lawson, also charged with felony murder, appeared on Wednesday in 22nd District Court for a preliminary examination. However, Judge Sylvia James postponed the hearing and rescheduled it for Jan. 12 after learning about the arrest of the second defendant.

Huggins and Lawson, a parolee, have been remanded to Wayne County Jail, without bond, until their court examination.

Inkster police would not say what led them to the two defendants. However, Vergona said that "interviews and witnesses helped break this case."

According to Vergona, Niebrzydowski and another white male came to Inkster to purchase

crack cocaine. They were in the 26000 block of Lehigh Street when they were approached by several young drug dealers.

"We know that one of the dealers attempted to rob the victim, and take the Lincoln, which actually is his mother's, from him," Vergona said.

The victim resisted. The suspects opened the car door and tried to pull the victim out of the car and when he resisted, the culprits fired between two to three shots at him, one striking the victim in the back, police said.

Niebrzydowski managed to drive from the scene and continued to operate the car until he lost consciousness, then the passenger took the wheel.

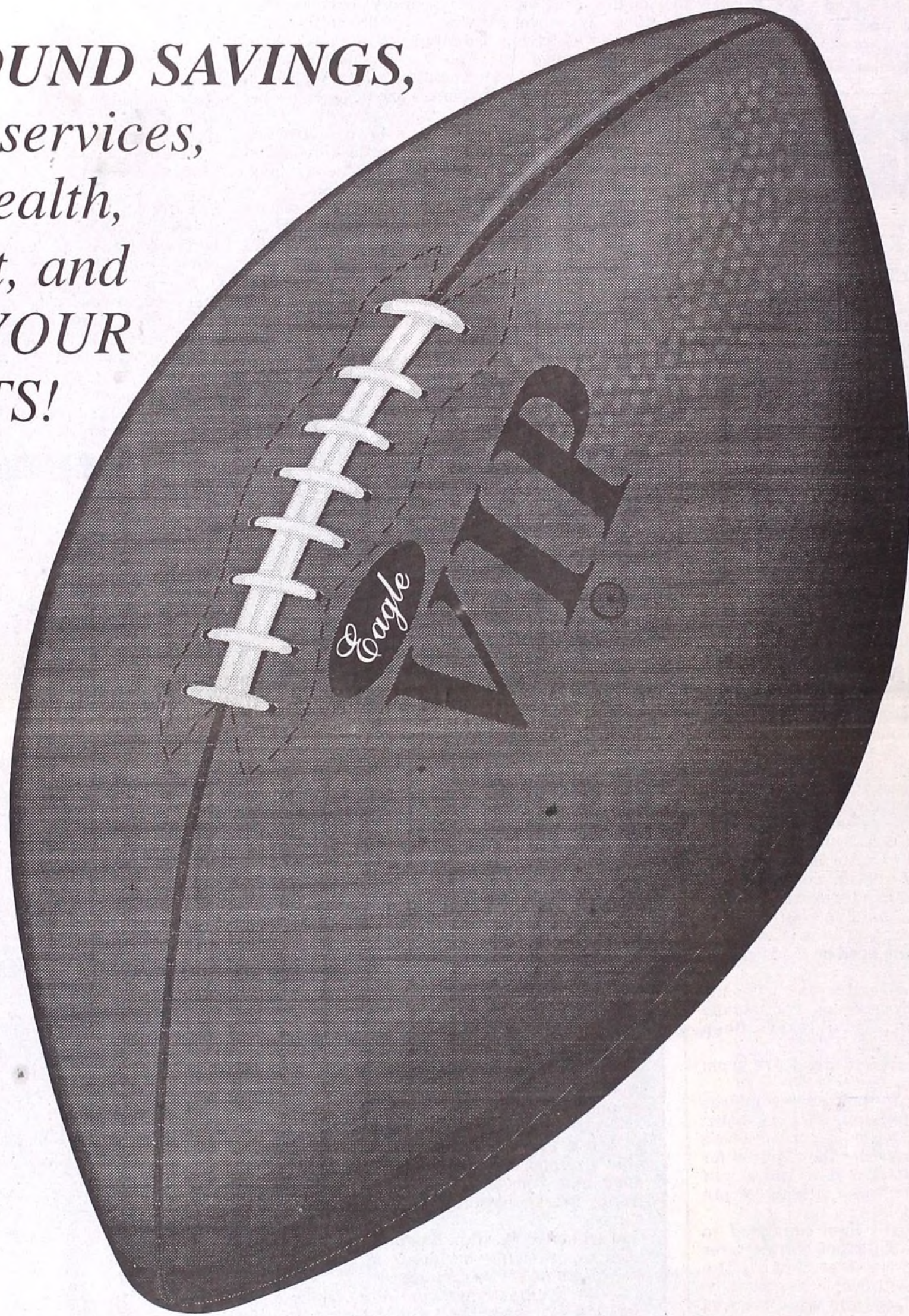
The passenger got to a location on Telegraph Road in Dearborn Heights, where Dearborn Heights police and rescue units responded. Niebrzydowski was pronounced dead at the scene.

He was the 17th homicide in the city of Inkster in 1993.

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What's in store for '94?

A boost in real estate and retail sales, an optimistic forecast for finances and continued growth for the airport, according to a survey of western Wayne County businesses.

If one word could describe the attitude of business managers and owners for 1994, it would be *optimistic*. Whether those interviewed represented large or small firms, they were upbeat about the opportunities and challenges ahead.

A combination of low interest rates and the elimination of the school property taxes are indication of a boost in real estate sales, according to area real estate salespeople. At the same time, an increase in consumer confidence has prompted growth in retail sales, and the recovery in the auto industry is leading the way to a stronger economy in the state, business leaders report.

Real estate growth predicted

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER
News Editor

Property tax cuts should prompt additional growth in the real estate business, according to area agents and brokers.

"It can't get much better than '93. Last year was a very good year," said Glenn Silvenis of ReMax Crossroads in Canton Township. "With school property taxes eliminated, there will be lots of families purchasing homes who could not buy before. There also will be a lot of homeowners trading up to larger houses."

Silvenis predicted "a lot of upward movement in the coming year," and does not foresee that the proposed one or two percent transfer tax will have a negative impact on the market.

During the past month, Silvenis has noted that some mortgage age holders have begun to refund some escrow funds. The amount of the escrow funds was established when the school property tax was still in effect, and, consequently, is some 65 to 67 percent higher than property taxes will be in 1994.

"I've also noticed that some mortgage companies are qualifying borrowers with the new tax rates considered," Silvenis said. "This will help to open the doors to more people."

Silvenis said he was pleased to see the school property tax abolished by the State Legislature, and plans implemented to replace those tax dollars with other taxes.

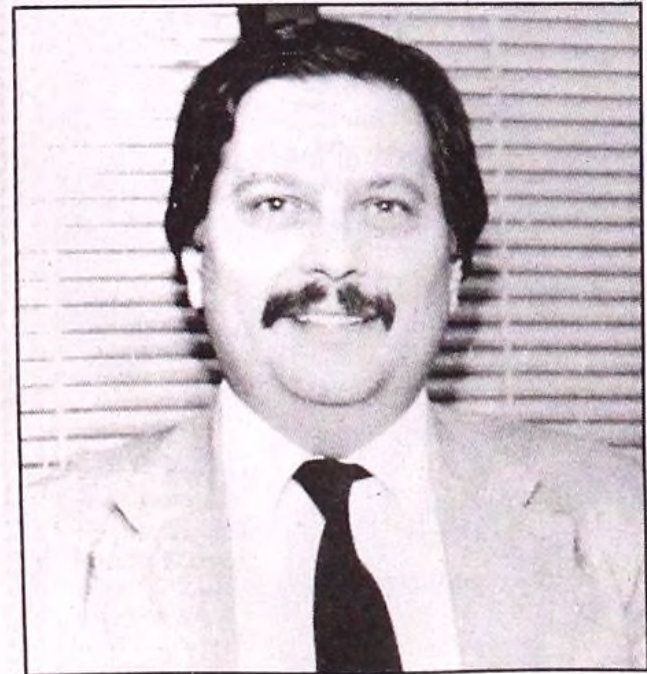
"We needed a change in the system. The proposed taxes will spread the cost around more, and not put all of the burden on the backs of the property owners," Silvenis said. "This is more fair and equitable."

Silvenis said retirees who might have been forced to give up their homes because of high taxes, may now be able to afford to keep their homes and remain in the community.

"Interest rates are still good. I tell buyers than anything below 11 percent is a bargain, and rates are way below that now," Silvenis said. "The rate for 30-year fixed mortgages is 6-7/8 to 7-1/4 percent."

Mary Lou Rocha of Lakeside Realty in Belleville hopes that 1994 will be a good year, but feels that consumers still have a feeling of insecurity and uncertainty that could cloud the horizon.

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Glenn Silvenis



Mary Lou Rocha of Lakeside Realty is upbeat about the real estate market for 1994. ANP photo by Ken Garner



Donna Jackson



For people like, Chris Karath, who check out employment opportunities in the classified ads, this year promises to be better than 1993. ANP photo by Ken Garner

Economy takes turn around

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

This is the year of the great economic turnaround.

With a broad-based recovery, led by housing and a streamlined auto industry leading the way, there is a air of economic and financial optimism in the country, according to most economists.

And for good reason.

"There is a confidence, reflected by the recent upturn in retail sales and in the housing industry that just wasn't there in recent years," said Donna Jackson, recently-appointed manager of the National Bank of Detroit, Inkster branch. "And I don't see anything on the immediate horizon to chill that optimism."

Jackson, who took over at NBD last October, said that the auto industry and most major corporations have made their cuts and layoffs "in order to compete locally and globally. She doesn't believe that there will be any further layoffs."

"With the stronger economy, I can't see them cutting any deeper," Jackson added. "If they do, of course, that would lead to workers worrying about their jobs and that definitely would have repercussions on the economy."

Jackson stressed that with a prime interest rate at 6 percent and mortgage rates in the area of 7.3 (30-years) and 6.4 (15 years), the "numbers are there for the turnaround."

She also pointed out that whatever effects, if any, the recent North American Free Trade Agreement will have on the present economy is debatable. She takes a wait-and-see attitude about NAFTA.

"There is a ray of light at the end of the tunnel," Jackson concluded. "I don't think you would have heard that two or even a year ago."

Employment opportunities on upswing in 94

By LAURIE HUMPHREY
ANP Staff Writer

According to employment agencies across the state, Michigan is the place to be for jobs in the new year.

"Top officials are expecting continued growth for 1994," said Norm Isotalo, media relations for the Michigan Employment Security Council (MESC). "We expect a 1 to 2 percent growth and a steady decreasing unemployment rate in the state."

F. Robert Edwards, director of the MESC, said job opportunities for the new year are a continuation of 1993 prospects. Citing record high employment rates, the end of the federal unemployment penalty tax, state jobless rates at or below the national level and improved criteria for state unemployment tax credits for business, Edwards said "Michigan's work force completed one of its strongest years in recent history."

Statistics show the seasonally adjusted unemployment rate for the state fell below the national rate in February, March, April and August. In January and September, the state rate equaled the national rate.

"It has been nearly 30 years since Michigan's unemployment rate has come close to matching what it did last year in comparison to the national average," said the director. "In fact, it has been 14 years since Michigan's

jobless rate has been below the national rate for even a single month."

The MESC noticed growth in many industries in 1993. Predominant sectors included construction, retail trade and service industries.

Edwards predicts employment opportunities will continue to rise this year.

"The overall economic outlook for this year is stronger than we earlier expected. For example, we anticipate that it will be a good year for the automotive industry, which is key to Michigan. In fact, employment gains should occur in most industries with construction and services, helping to lead the way."

Optimistic predictions for employment opportunities were echoed by Margie Provan of Manpower in Belleville.

"I look for an increase in employment in 1994," Provan said. "The economy is looking up, and the general business climate is better. Those factors indicate more job opportunities."

According to the U.S. Department of Labor, the service industries will remain the largest and fastest growing sector of our economy.

An increase in employment is predicted in health care, business services, education, retail trade, transportation and in government, the labor department noted.

Line-up of 7 planets sign of unusual happenings, says psychic

By MARGO DEWEY
Deputy News Editor

With the awakening of each new year, everyone is a little more hopeful that better opportunities, increased finances and romance will come about.

The start of 1994 is no different, according to psychic/astrologer Elizabeth. She predicts positive changes will occur for new political leaders, entertainers and automakers.

This month will definitely show signs of change as seven planets line up on Jan. 11 for the first time since Feb. 6, 1962, according to Elizabeth.

"The last time this line-up

occurred was with the sign of Aquarius," Elizabeth said. "This time, it's in the sign of Capricorn which means there will be many strange events occurring, things out of the ordinary."

"Since Capricorn is known as a steady sign, having the seven planets line up on this day and in this month means an unbalance for several things and people."

Weather patterns are expected to be a little unusual this year, according to Elizabeth. She predicts there will be more volcanoes erupting, increased flooding in various countries and natural disasters.

"I would recommend everyone be a little more cautious with the stock market," Elizabeth said. "With these seven planets lining up this year and a wave of changes occurring, it is looking like the time when the stock market crashed a few years ago. So, people should be cautious where they invest."

In terms of worldwide affairs, Elizabeth said she believes the U.S. will be more concentrated on improving the homefront instead of assisting other countries as it has in the past.

"I do feel, however, that we are going to take part in some

type of military action within 100 days to assist a country, but we won't stay in that situation for a long time," Elizabeth said.

In terms of political leadership, Elizabeth said she sees Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer making many positive changes for the city.

"He will prove to Detroit that he is the right person for the job," Elizabeth said. "It may take four years to turn around what has been done, but he will do it."

The reputation of President Bill Clinton has been suffering in the last few weeks with the media questioning alleged af-

fairs and a business he and his wife Hillary owned involving property, but Elizabeth said he should be out of the dog house by the end of May.

In terms of celebrities, Elizabeth said Roseanne Arnold and her husband will be involved with children's issues this year and Julia Roberts will stay married for awhile to her new husband.

"I believe Joan Rivers will get another television show but this time she will team up with a male comedian," Elizabeth said. "You'll probably see this show by the fall of this year."

Detroit auto makers are expected to cash in on increased

sales as vehicles made in the U.S. continue to improve, and buyers begin to take pride in American-made products, according to Elizabeth.

What's her last prediction for 1994?

"The lions will roar in 1994," Elizabeth said. "And, I predicted that way before the new year."

Psychic/astrologer Elizabeth is available for private readings, home parties, office parties, banquets and phone readings. Master Card/Visa are accepted. For further information, call The Psychic Connection at 722-7278. For an immediate reading call our Psychic Hotline at 1-900-226-4090.

Father accused of sexually assaulting son, 8

By JENNIFER PLACINTO
ANP Staff Writer

A 31-year-old Westland man, charged with four counts of criminal sexual conduct (CSC) against his 8-year-old son, was bound over to Detroit Recorder's Court for trial.

The defendant is charged with two counts of first-degree CSC and two counts of second-degree CSC for alleged sexual acts involving penetration with his young son over a one-year period, Westland police Sgt. Laura Moore said.

"He was sodomizing and having oral sex with his own natural son for over a year. He told the youth that this was the way he showed love for him," Moore said.

"Now the child will equate homosexual acts with love," Moore added.

Moore said the man told his son not to tell anyone or "he would make his father go to jail."

The defendant's \$10,000/10 percent conditional bond was posted by his employer. The conditional bond prohibits the man from any contact with youths under age 18 without another adult present.

If convicted, the man would be required to have an Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) test and could face a maximum of 15 years in prison on the second-degree CSC charges and up to life imprisonment if convicted of the first-degree CSC charges.

The incidents allegedly occurred from Dec. 22, 1992 to October 1993 at night when the mother was away from the family home, the youth testified.

"He was sodomizing and having oral sex with his own natural son for over a year. He told the youth that this was the way he showed love for him."

Sgt. Laura Moore

"He would wake me up. We'd take a shower in my bathroom. After he'd say keep your clothes off and tell me to go to my mom's room," the child testified.

The boy testified to explicit and details sex acts he claimed his father had committed with him including sodomy and oral sex.

"He (father) said to keep it a secret or the police would take

"He filed for divorce prior to the mother finding out about this. The boy probably felt more comfortable talking when the dad wasn't there," Moore added.

The alleged victim's sister told their mother about the incidents. However, when his mother confronted him, the boy denied that his father did those things, according to testimony.

The boy said he denied the allegations when his mother first confronted him because she was upset and crying. However, later the youth told his mother the incidents did occur, the boy testified.

"I told mom he did it because I didn't want him to hurt any other kid," the youth said.

Defense attorney Gerald Lorence tried to prove the child lied about the sexual

acts in an effort to get his parents back together. Lorence asked the child if he had learned these sexual things from the children at school and by looking at a sexually explicit book in his mother's room.

Although the child answered "yes" to the questions, when asked again if his father was guilty of the sexual acts, he said "yes."

Moore also told the judge that the wife reported the man had many guns and has made threats to her and on his own life.

Despite the somewhat contradictory testimony, Westland 18th District Judge C. Charles Bokos bound the case over to Detroit Recorder's Court for trial and said, "I find him (youth) to be a very bright, articulate young man."

Detroit woman arrested for murder of Westland resident

By JENNIFER PLACINTO
ANP Staff Writer

A 25-year-old Detroit woman is scheduled to be arraigned in Detroit Recorder's Court on charges of first-degree murder and arson in connection with the Dec. 21 house fire which led to the death of Westland resident 21-

year-old Steven Rosati, according to Detroit police.

Laura Faulk, who lived in the apartment below Rosati, at 6302 Tarnow Street in Detroit, was charged after Detroit Fire officials determined the cause of the fire to be cigarette lighter fluid, according to Detroit police Sgt. Thomas Blackstone.

Faulk was arrested on Dec.

21 in connection with the blaze, in which Mr. Rosati died of smoke inhalation and burns, Blackstone said. Faulk faces arraignment on the charges Jan. 14, 1994.

Faulk is being held on a \$200,000/10 percent bond. If convicted, she faces mandatory life imprisonment on the murder charge and up to 20

years in prison on the arson charge.

Mr. Rosati's body was found lying on the floor in a small sunroom toward the back of the old home subdivided into apartments, Blackstone said. Blackstone speculated that Mr. Rosati may have been trying to escape from the home when he

died of smoke inhalation.

"He probably was headed that way and ran out of air," Blackstone surmised.

According to family members, Mr. Rosati was renting an apartment in the home for about four weeks. Mr. Rosati's sister, Peggy Fenwick, said the woman accused of the crime

lived in the apartment below her brother and the two were acquaintances.

Mr. Rosati's parents, Anthony and Carol Rosati are well-known in Westland for their long-time participation as organizers of the annual Westland Junior Miss competition.

Police investigate multiple robbery incidents in Romulus hotels

Six out-of-state visitors were robbed in Romulus hotels this week in two separate incidents reported to police.

One robbery occurred in a room at the Budgetel hotel at

9000 Wickham Road, when an armed bandit robbed four visitors from West Lafayette, Ind. and Lawrence, Kan.

The victims told Romulus police they entered their room

about 7 p.m. Thursday, when a man pushed their door open as they were about to close it.

The tall black gunman wearing a black coat and green hat and brandishing a silver auto-

matic gun, the victims said, threatened them and ordered, "give me all your money."

After taking their money, he turned out the hotel room lights and told them not to

move until he completed his departure.

Two days earlier, a different gunman entered a room at the Clarion Hotel on Industrial Expressway and robbed a pair

from New York.

This man, brandishing a black weapon, also forced his way into the room as the pair were entering and took more than \$300 after warning them

Handicapped space stealers beware

Drivers using handicapped parking spaces illegally might reconsider their options in light of a planned Westland police enforcement plan for violators which will begin tomorrow.

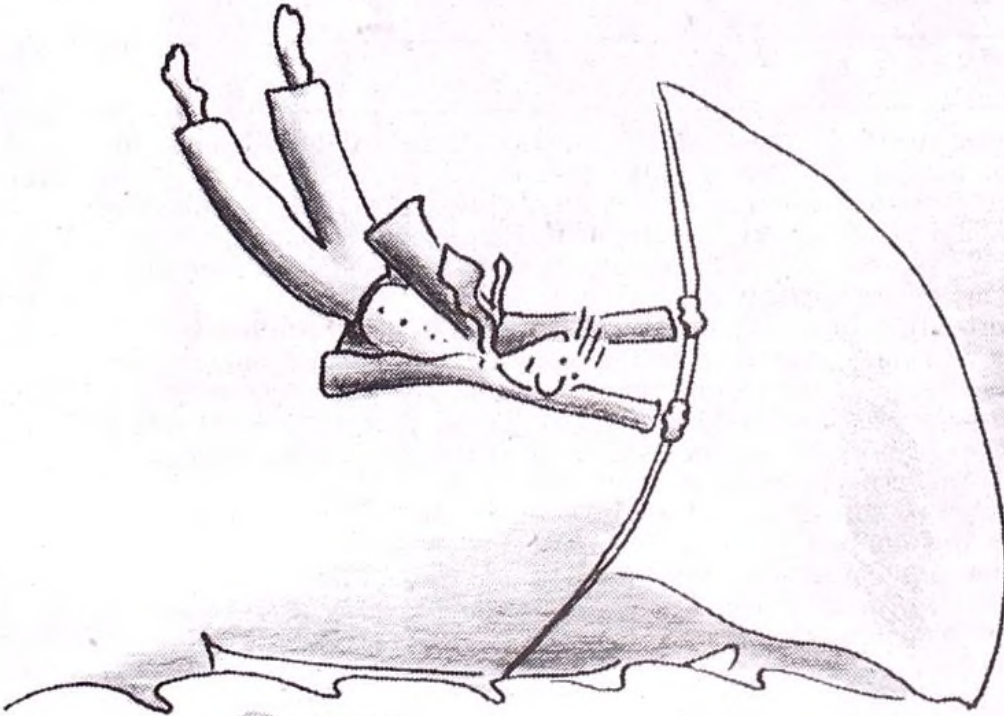
According to Westland police Sgt. Pete Brokas, the number of drivers illegally parking in handicapped spaces in retail parking lots has increased significantly this winter, possibly due to the cold weather.

"More and more shoppers

are parking close to the buildings because they're afraid of the cold," Brokas said.

Brokas said the number has increased from a few violations per year to a dozen in the last few weeks.

Westland Police Chief Emery Price has directed officers to begin surveying these lots more closely starting Jan. 10 and issue \$50 fines to drivers found not to have the proper handicapped identification stickers or tags on their vehicles.



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New court administrator plans to correct court woes

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

Veteran 44-year-old Michigan court administrator Michael Ramsey began unpacking his office supplies shortly after noon Wednesday, in preparation for accepting the "challenge" of correcting the beleaguered 34th District Court in Romulus.

Ramsey, who has more than 20 years experience in various Michigan courts, won out over an estimated 300 applicants in recent months to succeed Nancy Schuette as the new 34th District Court administrator.

Schuette resigned her post this summer after being on paid leave since March, when then Chief Judge William Szlinis asked for an audit of the court financial records by the Michigan State Supreme Court.

Schuette's deputy administrator, Tammy Riopelle, also was on paid leave until her job was eliminated late this summer.

A criminal investigation also was conducted by Michigan State Police, but the results of that probe have not been made public at this time

"due to an ongoing criminal investigation."

Members of the District Control Unit of the 34th District Court, including Romulus Mayor Beverly McAnally, remain angry and frustrated by the lack of information provided them by the court.

McAnally has charged that Szlinis also had a second audit of the court finances done by a private firm and has failed to share those findings with the control unit.

Ramsey explained that he is familiar with the past problems in the 34th District and has a history of correcting such problems.

Ramsey, who most recently served as court administrator of the 55th District Court in Ingham County, said his strength of being a "problem solver" fits in tightly with the needs at the Romulus facility.

While Ramsey technically begins his tenure here Monday, he actually won't be seen much by the public until Thursday.

From Monday through Wednesday, he and newly-named Chief Judge Felix Rogalle will be at the New Chief Justice Seminar in Lansing.

Then on Thursday, Ramsey said he will begin his "open door" policy as court administrator in Romulus.

Ramsey, who said he underwent a rigorous questioning process by the court screening committee and a second interview session by the three court judges, said he feels fully able and qualified to take on the task of tightening up financial and security procedures inside the court house.

While serving as court house leader, media communication chief and judicial advisor, Ramsey explained "I also serve at the beck and call of the judges."

A graduate of Lansing Community College, Ramsey is currently attending Central Michigan University, seeking a degree in public administration.

He also is one of about 600 individuals to graduate from the Court Executive Development program.

Ramsey, who will soon be moving to Belleville, currently is single and the father of two teenage children.

Outside of the court house, Ramsey enjoys running and playing squash. "Other than that I consider myself the Detroit Red Wings No. 1 fan," he said.

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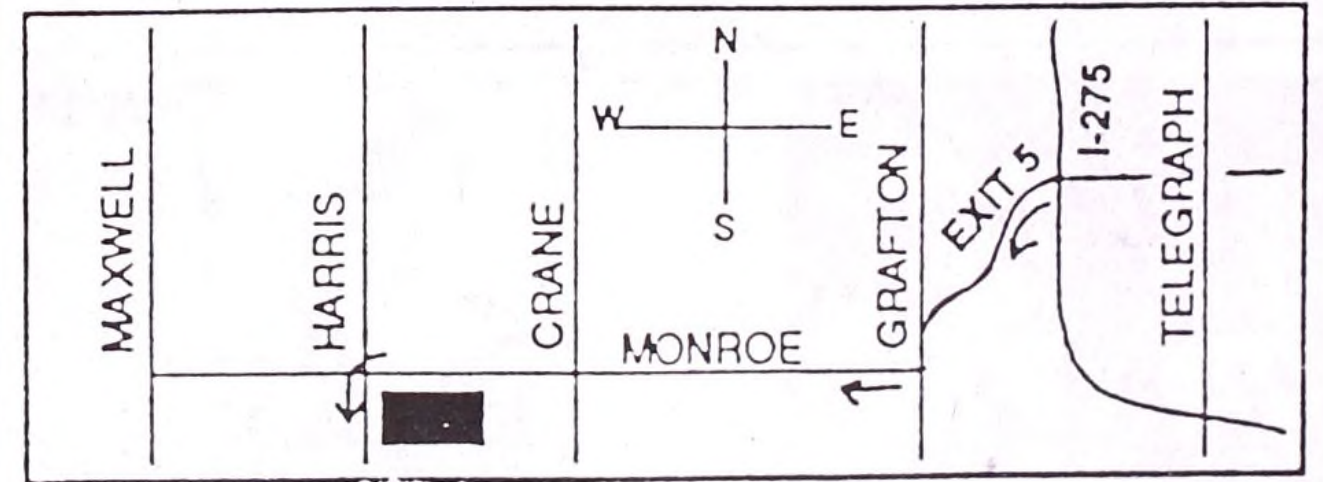
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Voters to decide on new school reform package

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Michigan lawmakers have a plan to reform the way schools are financed in the state.

Whether voters agree to the plan, which would increase the state sales tax from 4 to 6 percent, will be determined on March 15.

If the voters reject the state proposal, then a back-up proposal which would increase the state personal income tax from the present 4.6 percent to 6 percent would go into effect.

Standing between the March 15 election and the proposals are special interest groups ready to go to court to stop the implementation of the ballot proposal as well as the back-up plan.

If one of the groups is successful in blocking the implementation of the proposals, the state Legislature will be in a financial dilemma that could bankrupt the schools.

In their wisdom - or foolhardiness, the state lawmakers wiped out property taxes as the source for funding schools. Senate Bill 1, signed last sum-

“... every tax, with the exception of the general ad valorem property tax shall be uniform upon the class or classes on which it operates.”

mer by the governor, gave property owners tax relief, however, the Legislature did not have in place a plan to replace the \$10.1 billion needed to keep schools operating.

The March 15 proposals are designed to replace the funds, according to the architects of the plans.

However, some groups, including the politically astute Michigan Chamber of Commerce, are ready to wage a court battle to stop the implementation of the proposals, if approved by the voters this spring. They cite violations of the Michigan Constitution,

which states that “every tax, with the exception of the general ad valorem property tax shall be uniform upon the class or classes on which it operates.”

The March 15 ballot proposal would violate Article IX, section 3 provision of the constitution, they believe.

Also, one of the primary reasons for the school finance reform package is to close the gap between the amount school districts spend per pupil on education. Under the proposal, districts will have a state guarantee of \$5,000. That is far less than some districts, like Bloomfield Hills, Birmingham and Southfield presently spend per pupil. In order to finance these richer school districts at their present rates, the state will “hold harmless” these districts allowing them to levy the difference which, in most cases, will have taxpayers paying more - not less - tax to the schools.

The battle lines are definitely drawn.

On March 15, the voters will decide the winners...and the losers.

School board begins selection process for search firm

BY LAURIE HUMPHREY
ANP Staff Writer

The only Michigan superintendent search firm addressed Plymouth-Canton school board members last Wednesday.

Board members are in the process of selecting a search firm to interview candidates to replace retiring Superintendent of Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Dr. John Hoben who announced his retirement last year.

Kara Funk, director of Michigan Association of School Boards (MASB) superintendent search, informed board members that candidates for the superintendent position do not need to possess a teacher or superintendent certificate.

“Now, you may still require certification for your district, but it is not required by the State of Michigan any longer,”

said Funk.

The non-profit organization, originated in 1980, boasts experience from more than 200 Michigan school districts including East Lansing, Lake Orion and Van Buren Township. Many of the districts, enrolling between 325 and 24,000 students, are repeat customers.

For \$10,000, the consulting firm prepares, recruits, trains and supports various aspects of the search process. Consultants first establish a customized timeline to fit the needs of the district. Then they work to solicit criteria input from staff and community members.

“We offer an excellent service,” said Funk. “I pride ourselves on meeting the needs of our (MASB) members. Our primary goal is to develop an individualized process that will produce the best match for

your district's needs.”

Currently working with nine different districts, Funk admitted her evenings in January were very busy, while her February calendar looked open. “I would also get help from other employees at MASB,” she said.

“I don't think you'll find any consulting firm that can meet your Michigan needs like we can,” said Funk. “And we recognize that your needs will be different from Ypsilanti.”

Candidates are recruited for the position both in-state and out-of-state through advertisements, personal contacts and referrals.

“I will place ads in nationally circulated educational media, I will make phone calls and I will write letters,” said Funk. “The one thing I won't do is try to unseat a Michigan superintendent from another district.”

Absentee ballots now available

Voters who may be out of town for the special state election scheduled for March 15 can apply now for an absent voter ballot, according to Secretary of State Richard H. Austin.

“The special election requested by the legislature to decide the fate of a ballot proposal on school funding comes at a time when many Michigan residents will be vacationing in warmer parts of the country or sightseeing with their children on spring break,” explained Austin who is the state chief election official.

“As residents make plans to

be out of town on March 15, they should add an absent voter ballot application to their list of things to do.”

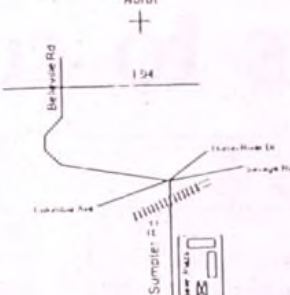
State law allows registered voters to apply for an absent voter ballot 75 days prior to the election if they plan to be out of town on election day. The law also extends the right to vote by absent voter ballot to individuals unable to vote without assistance; voters 60 years of age or older, voters in jail awaiting arraignment or trial, voters working as precinct inspectors in a precinct other than where they are registered to vote; and voters un-

able to attend the polls because of religious beliefs.

If any of these conditions exist, voters should write or telephone their city or township clerk to obtain an absent voter ballot application, or complete the application in person at the local clerk's office. Votes may also write a letter to the local clerk requesting an absent voter ballot and explaining the reasons this method of voting is necessary.

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A magical tale

The Cheerup Princess group at the First Congregational Church recently entertained residents in the western Wayne County area during the First Night celebration. ANP photo by DiVizio/chief photographer

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Text by Margo Dewey

Local actor is Fred Flintstone movie stand in

Flintstones, meet *The Flintstones*.

When the expected smash hit film *Flintstones* opens at local theaters this year, the role of Fred Flintstone portrayed by actor John Goodman may look like a bedrock of fun, but it actually took quite a bit of work to put together.

Just ask former Westland resident Dean Parker, a 1982 John Glenn graduate, who landed the lead stand-in role portraying Goodman throughout the flick.

"The stand-in means you have to have somebody the same size and dimensions of the main actor for the cameras to focus on and adjust to lighting or sound," Parker said. "I read and walk or move as John sits under the shade and waits until everything is just right."

Filming began in the middle of May. Parker said he spent approximately 1 1/2 months working as the stand-in.

"I think what I enjoyed most was meeting the top stars like Goodman and Rick Moranis," Parker said. "John is one of the best in the business. He is a really nice person. Very quiet until you get him joking around."

The film took place in a rock quarry which Parker said got a little unbearable at times.

"It was the most brutal thing," Parker said. "John said he would never do that again. It was hot in the daytime and freezing at night. We walked on rocks in our bare feet because we couldn't wear shoes during the filming."

The average filming day began at 5 a.m., in costume, and ready for action. Parker said he didn't really get exhausted from the work.

"We didn't leave the set until 7 or 8 p.m.," Parker said. "This business is a lot of waiting. It's a pain in the butt basically. You're waiting for the director to make up his mind."

"If he decides to change anything, you're there for another two hours at the mercy of this guy. But, it's a lot of fun."

Parker wore the same familiar Fred Flintstone costume, striped black with orange, every day.

"I don't even know how many times the thing was washed," Parker said. "They had us in sand and dust every day."

Landing the lead stand-in role resulted from a little bit of luck, according to Parker.

"My agent found out they were looking for a John Goodman stand-in," Parker said. "They had five people there wanting the position, but when I walked in, they gave me the role instantly."

Parker said he never really thought about acting in high school or even in college when he attended Eastern Michigan University. He said his goal was to become a sports reporter.

"I did Eastern Michigan's basketball play-by-play," Parker said. "My major was radio and television. I was a disc jockey at WQBR radio as a sports reporter. That's what I wanted to do when I was young."

"Then I found out how political the business was and how little money you make."

Parker said he only entered the world of acting about 1 1/2 years ago. Prior to being bitten by the show business bug, he said he was a financial planner in Dearborn.

He said he also moved around the U.S. quite a bit before making a home in sunny California.

"I lived in Jamaica, Hawaii, Texas, Arizona and Florida," Parker said. "I'm not someone who likes to stay in one place very long."

Parker said it was his sister who started doing extra work before he arrived in California. When he made his move, he said his sister told him to see a casting agent.

"I was in a movie the next day from seeing the casting agent," Parker said. "I played a prisoner in *First And Fire*. I kind of got the bug after I did that. It was really fun. They feed you really good."

Getting paid as a stand-in can range anywhere from \$400 a week to \$1,000, according to Parker.

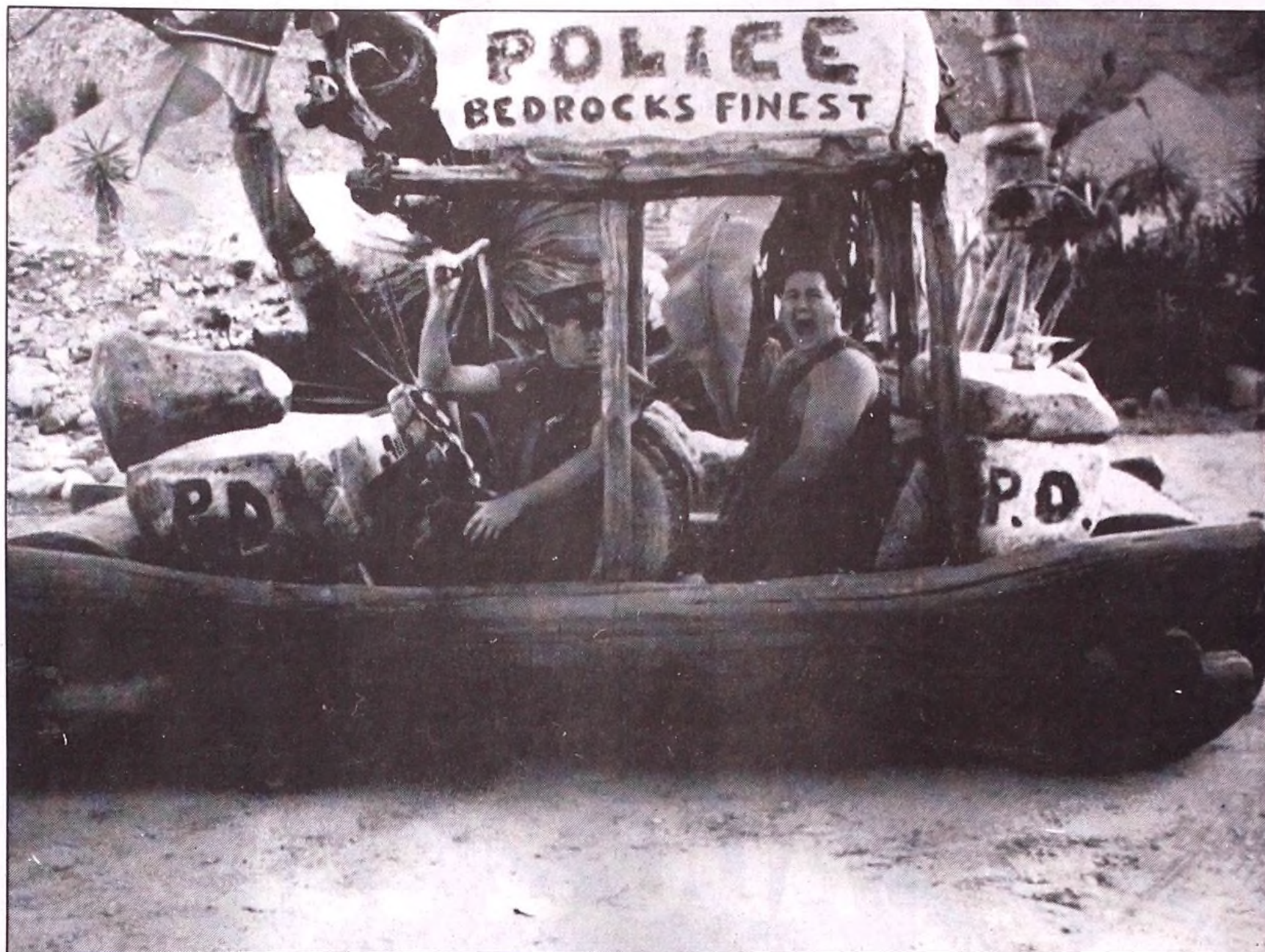
"It all depends on how much work you have to do," Parker said. "You could make a couple grand for one week, and it makes up for all the little weeks."

Parker said when his friends see him on television or in a movie now, they get very excited, more so than he does.

"It's a job now," Parker said. "At first you're awe struck. Then you realize that these people put their pants on the same way, they go to the bathroom. They do everything you do, but their just making a couple more million than you."

Now that Parker is building a foundation as an actor, he said his goal is to become professional and land a lead role in a major flick.

"My ultimate goal would actually be to have my own television show, comedy show like *Seinfeld*," Parker said. "Since



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Dean Parker

Former Westland resident Dean Parker shows off the form which won him the coveted job of stand-in for John Goodman who stars as Fred Flintstone in the soon-to-be-released *Flintstones* movie.



Dean Parker, a 1982 John Glenn High School graduate, won his role as Fred Flintstone stand-in with his remarkable resemblance to star John Goodman. Parker discusses his career during a visit last week, below, and brought movie location photos, above and below left.

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I do comedy as well, I think that would be the best way to make it.”

To get into show business takes a lot of hard work and initiative, according to Parker.

"There are two ways you get into this business," Parker said. "The first way is you go to all the best acting schools and then wait tables until you get a break or do it the way I did it which is start doing extra work and then get into the Actors' Guild."

Movie projects Parker is now working on include *Huey Long* in Baton Rouge where he will once again be Goodman's stand-in.

"I will also have a speaking part in this movie," Parker said. "Depending on how big a role it might be, they are talking about making me his brother. I'm in the process of also auditioning for a movie called *Ty Cobb*. They will be filming part of it in Michigan."



Hearing set for Romulus resident storing 100,000 tires

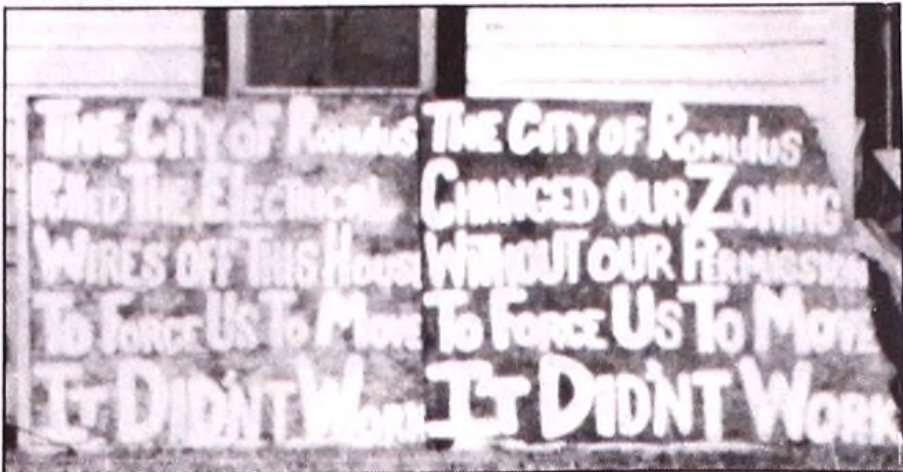
By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

A defiant Romulus man, who city officials claim has illegally stored nearly 100,000 used tires on his five acre property, may have his hearing in the 34th District Court delayed.

Romulus City Ordinance Officer Steve Banko said he recently filed 21 city complaints against William Connolly of 6748 Cogswell because of what Banko described as deplorable conditions created by the old tires, illegally erected fences and out buildings and other problems at Connolly's homestead.

Banko said Connolly has a 10-year history of failing to answer city ordinance violations and being absent from court hearings.

Thus when he was brought before 34th District Court Judge Felix Rogalle last month, Rogalle set bail of 10 percent of \$500 per charge and



a return court day of Feb. 18.

First Connolly refused to put up his bail and was ordered jailed. Then it was revealed that the Wayne County Jail was overcrowded and Connolly was transferred to the Isabella County Court.

Most recently it was reported that the 34th District Court will be closed Feb. 18, since an all-day seminar is slated for that day. A court employee noted that Connolly's case would have to be



One of the houses on the William Connolly property in Romulus is festooned with signs stating "We've been here for 28 years. No one is going to steal our property," and the other stating, "The City of Romulus changed our zoning without our permission to force us to move. It didn't work." ANP photo by Ken Garner

Retail sales expected to increase for area stores, markets

By JENNIFER PLACINTO
ANP Staff Writer

Retail sales may have a very good year in 1994, according to Briarwood General Manager Ted Schwarz.

"I think sales will be going up in 1994. It will be a good year," Schwarz said.

Schwarz said many people feel less nervous about buying items this year as opposed to last with the high number of layoffs that occurred in the automotive industry.

"I think people have a very healthy feeling. There isn't that nervous feeling like in the

past," Schwarz said.

After Christmas sales were up from last year, Schwarz said, and the fact that more people are buying new cars and homes this year is a good indicator retail sales will also be on the rise.

"January has started off nicely. I have good reports from our store managers," Schwarz said.

One of the big sellers in '94, according to Schwarz, will be computers. Schwarz added that people are looking for quality items rather than trend setting things.

building systems for sale.

From the banking standpoint, Honaker said, local businesses are making bigger bank deposits indicating an increase in business.

In the one-month time period R & R has been open, Honaker said, he has had a few walk-ins, but the majority of his business comes from attending computer shows around the nation.

The hottest selling item this year, Honaker predicts, will be the home personal computer.

Honaker said he plans to put out his first Westland ad-

vertisement Jan. 15 and will know more about future sales then.

"We think business will be good. So far it's pretty satisfactory," Honaker said.

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Airport growth continues to boast travel

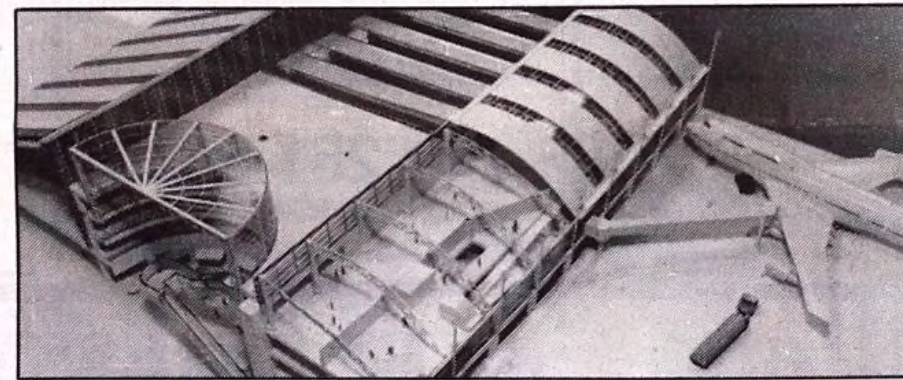
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Last Christmas 300 new parking facilities were opened



Airport expansion plans will continue in 1994 at Metro Airport.

in time for the holidays, Conway said, and this year demolition crews will raze the old southern parking area.

Additional enclosed parking will then be added before the end of the year, totaling 6,700 new parking spots (half

additional sites and half replacement spots). Total cost of the parking upgrades is \$40 million, Conway explained.

Airfield lighting will be enhanced during 1994 to add to traffic safety measures and a new \$15 million computer con-

trol card access security system will be added to aid airport employee safety.

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"It will make a big difference on future tax bills without the school property taxes," said Rocha. "People who were paying \$6,000, could be paying \$1,800 or \$2,000. With the reduction in property taxes, people can buy more house."

Rocha noted that all conditions seem favorable for a good year in the real estate market.

"It's an excellent time to change houses. Property taxes are lower and interest rates are low," Rocha said. "If the government can do their job to promote confidence, then businesses will do well."

Rocha said she sees some hesitation among potential home buyers who are waiting to see what the State Legislature's next step will be in replacing the school property taxes.

"There is a wait-and-see attitude among some people," she said. "Maybe, when they get their summer tax bill and see for themselves the decrease in their taxes, it will be a reality for them."

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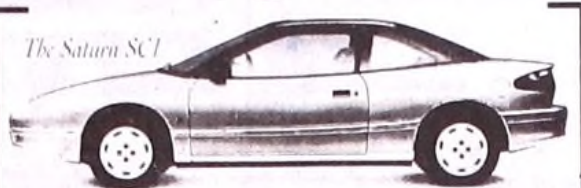
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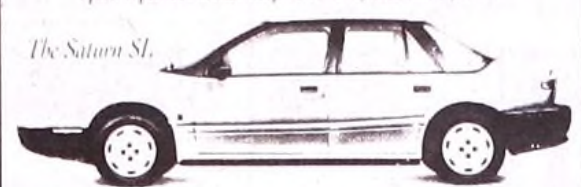
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The Saturn SL



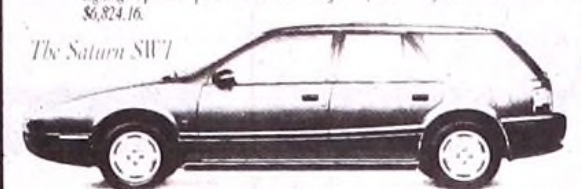
\$190/Month

\$561/Down

36/Months

SmartLease payments based on 1994 Saturn SL Sedan, Superd, AC, MSRP \$11,210 including title, taxes, license fee and insurance. First month's lease payment of \$189.56 plus \$225.00 refundable security deposit and down payment of \$561.00 for a total of \$973.56 due at lease signing. Option to purchase at lease end for \$6,777.00. Payments total \$6,824.16.

The Saturn SW1

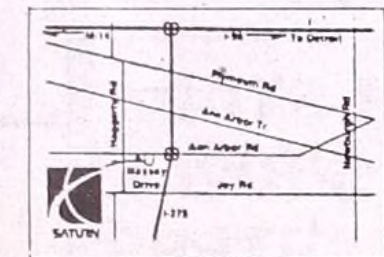


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\$1,545/Down

36/Months

SmartLease payments based on 1994 Saturn SW1 Wagon, auto, trans., AC, MSRP \$15,710 including title, taxes, license fee and insurance. First month's lease payment of \$189.88 plus \$225.00 refundable security deposit and down payment of \$1,545.00 for a total of \$1,768.88 due at lease signing. Option to purchase at lease end for \$8,088.90. Payments total \$7,159.68.



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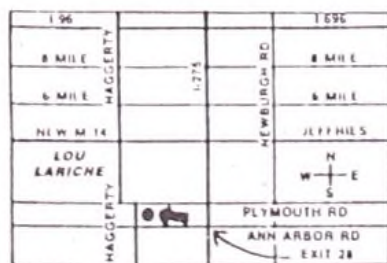
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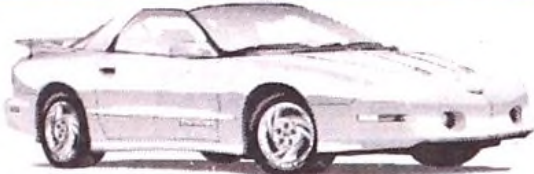
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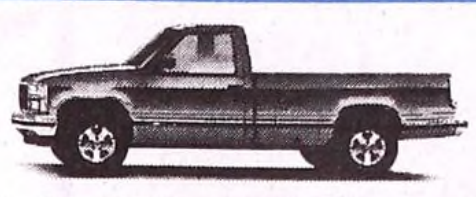
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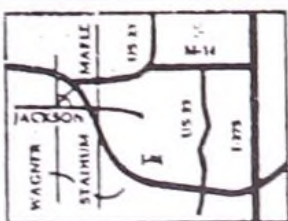
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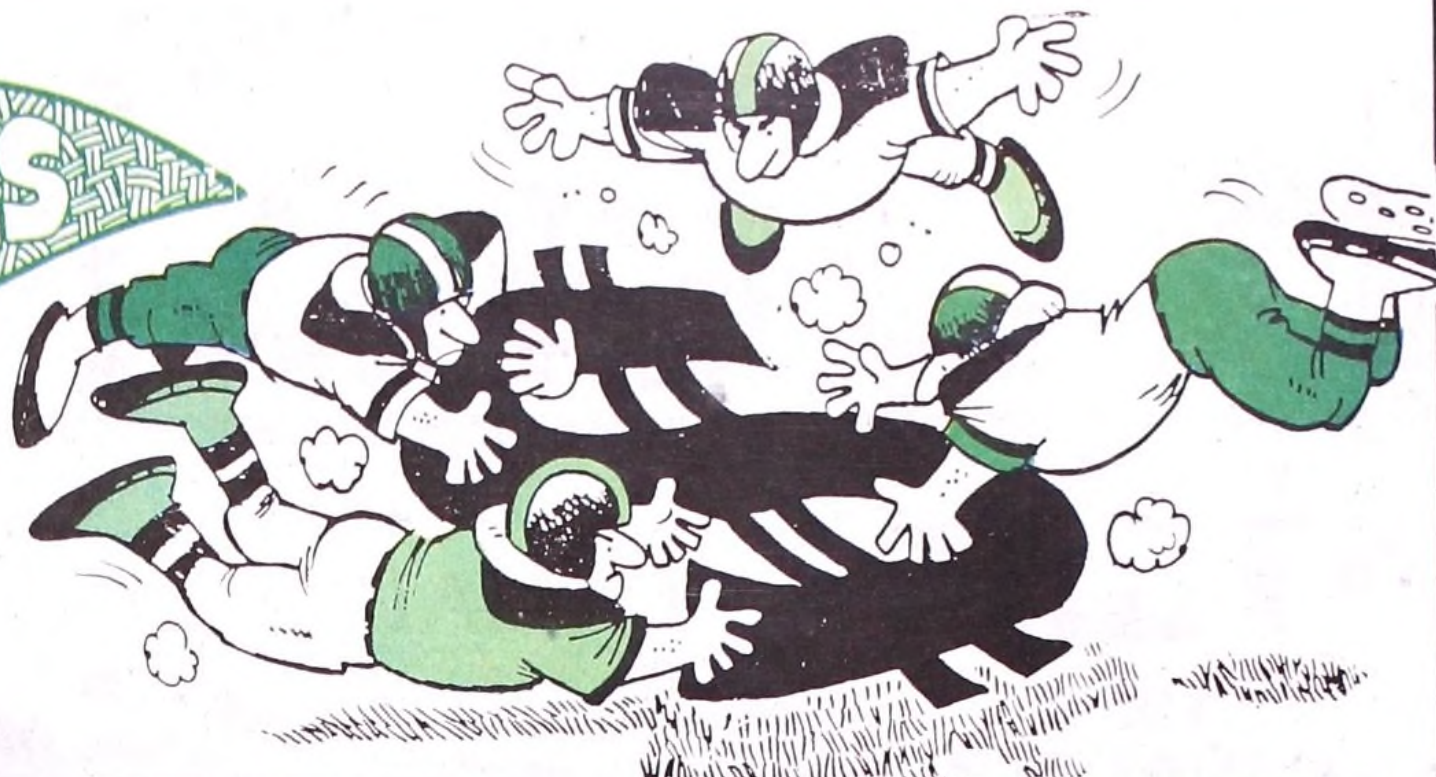
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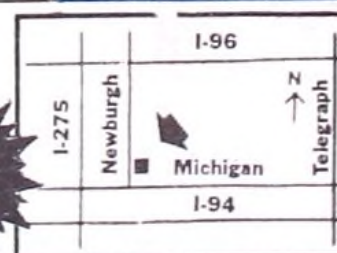
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